

DALE GRAHAM, publisher of The Rochester Reporter, hands our fair city a rather left-handed poke about the water shortage in Hamlin. Of course, what he says probably is true, but we didn't know the outside world knew about it, because we've tried to keep our delinquent "under our hat."

Graham says, in part: The talk up and down the street marked a deadline for rain here. "If it doesn't rain by the umpteenth of next month, we're through." And about everyone of us was convinced, too. But now this rain will extend the deadline for awhile at least. We contend that even during the past three years it hasn't been as dry here as it could have been.

The story goes that folks in towns in Jones and Stonewall Counties got so hard up for water that they were pinning postage stamps on letters instead of sticking them!

And maybe you heard about the couple in Hamlin who was in a quandary as to how to make full use of the pitiful bit of water they had on hand. They couldn't decide whether to wash the dishes and then bathe in the water, or to bathe first and then wash the dishes!

MRS. J. A. WILLIAMS, who lives on Route 3 out of Hamlin was amused and maybe enlightened by the comments of Hershel Smith, editor of The Lindsey, Oklahoma, News recently. Mrs. Williams formerly resided at Lindsey. Editor Smith says, in part:

We recently spent a few days in Texas, the state where we were born and lived a few years. Like all Texans, we have always had some pride in the state of our birth, and upon our return to Oklahoma we still feel the same about Texas.

However, we take more pride in our adopted state of Oklahoma following the trip. With exception of the country around Huntsville and an area near Houston we wouldn't trade the poorest Oklahoma for any part of Texas we traveled.

In Texas we noticed many cars bearing the label "Built in Texas by Texans." Which leads us to surmise that Texas-built automobiles are not equipped with dimmer switches since very few that we passed after dark would dim their lights.

Another thing that confused us was the speed limit signs on Texas highways, which informed that 60 miles per hour was the maximum for day-time driving. Being a law-abiding citizen, more or less, we drove along not more than 60 until it became apparent we were slowing down traffic. In addition to that, we noticed most of the Texans that went around us at 65 to 100 miles an hour were passing us on hills or curves.

LENNIE GREENWAY, affable cashier at the Farmers & Merchants National Bank, was proudly displaying a demitasse cup and saucer set of bone china she has received from England by Mrs. J. E. Freekin (nee Mildred Hanke), former employee at the bank. The pieces have a painted head of the Queen of England, and are collector's items.

Miss Greenway has an elaborate collection of demitasse cups and saucers at her home.

Mrs. Freekin had lived at Old Glory, in Stonewall County, before working at the bank for two years. She married Freekin in 1946, an aviator, who is stationed with the Army Air Force in England.

WE LISTED the following recipe for dealing with folks from an exchange coming to our desk:

1. The boss drives his men; the leader coaches them.
2. The boss depends upon authority; the leader on good will.
3. The boss says "I," the leader says "we."
4. The boss assigns the tasks; the leader sets the pace.
5. The boss inspires fear; the leader inspires enthusiasm.
6. The boss says "Get here on time;" the leader gets there ahead of time.
7. The boss fixes the blame for the break-down; the leader fixes the break-down.
8. The boss knows how it is done; the leader shows how.
9. The boss makes work a drudgery; the leader makes it a game.
10. The boss says "Go;" the leader says "Let's Go."

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Some Wheat to Be Helped by Moisture



GOV AIDE—Peyton McKnight Jr. (above) is the executive assistant to the Texas national Republican committeeman, H. J. (Jack) Porter.

Average Yield in County May Be Only Five Bushels

Wheat in the Hamlin area has apparently generally been given a slight boost by the showers of the past several days, in spite of the fact that much of it was past redemption, according to a check made by The Herald Wednesday. Some growers say they have parts of fields that was not completely through growing that will be benefited some by the moisture.

Others declare that the rains were too late for them to realize much good to the wheat crops.

Area wheat growers continued to bring in harvested wheat last week—enough to make a carload for the F. B. Moore Grain Company, and the car was shipped to the Fort Worth market, arriving there Thursday morning. It was to be sold as the first wheat of the season for the nation yesterday.

Early wheat harvested so far has average around 10 to 12 bushels per acre, but naturally better wheat was in the first batches. Since much of the wheat will not justify putting a combine in the fields, the overall average for Jones County was estimated by County Agent Bill Lehmberg to have potentialities of about five bushels yield per acre.

Hamlin School's Mile Relay Team Gets Third in State

Hamlin High School's fast-stepping mile relay team took third place in the state athletic finals of the Interscholastic League meet held last week-end at the University of Texas at Austin.

Members of the quartet are James Burkhardt, Don Kelly, Glenn Smith and Joe Don Hymen. They were accompanied to the meet by Vernon Townsend, head coach.

Although the relay team racked up its best time of the season, the 3:32.4 was not enough to take the event. Brenham High School's relay group placed first in the finals with a sizzling 3:29.0. Phillips was second in the event.

The two leaders in the finals were the teams that had previously led Hamlin in area meets, and were doped as the teams to beat before the state championship by Townsend. Phillips had won the Snyder relays, and Brenham had beaten the locals in the Brady relays.

"The entire state meet was the fastest I have ever seen," declared Townsend on his return to Hamlin. "Our school and our town have a group of boys of which they are justly proud."

Herald's Special Market Reporter Tells Typical Story of Cattleman's Plight

Sam Harris of Georgetown in Williamson County, told us a tale about a string of steers he sold on the Fort Worth market last week that gives about as graphic an account of the cattle price skid as you'll ever hear, declares Ted Gouldy, special market reporter at Fort Worth for The Herald, who continues in a special release to Your Home Town Paper:

Harris, a veteran livestock man, reported that about two years ago he bought about 100 steer yearlings at \$41 per 100. He wintered and caked them and was bid \$38 the following spring.

This offer he turned down, but later he did sell the cattle at \$34. However, this was not the end of the story by a long shot. Harris later bought the cattle back—at \$22 per 100. Then this week he sold on the Fort Worth market the 104 steers at \$21.50 with 24 head at \$19.

Said he might just buy some of them back, just to see what would happen.

When a big run of livestock appears on a market the tension is something very tangible as buyers and salesmen spar around waiting for the first sales to set the market in motion. When the largest run of the year showed up in the sheep yards Monday, May 4, it was tense for this was also the biggest run locally since 1950.

Harry Butz, head sheep buyer for Swift & Company, got on the White Ranches lambs from McCulloch County, a big string of over 2,000 fancy clipped lambs

Minister and Three Deacons at Histon to Be Ordained Sunday

Ordination rites will feature all-day services at the Histon Baptist Church, six miles northwest of Hamlin, Sunday, members of the congregation have announced. The pastor, Vernon King, will be ordained as pastor, and three new deacons will also be ordained in the ceremonies.

Following Sunday School and morning preaching services by the pastor, dinner will be served "on the ground," with attendants being asked to bring food for the occasion. The public is invited to attend the services.

Ordination services are scheduled to begin at 2:30 Sunday afternoon. The three new deacons to be ordained are Norman Carlton, Bobby Caldwell and Ray Ulmer.



T. E. GREEN, superintendent of McCaulley Schools, was elected president of the Fisher County unit of the Texas State Teachers Association, when the group met last Monday night at Sylvester School auditorium. He succeeds D. Y. McKinney, superintendent of Rotan Schools.

FFA Father-Son Banquet Slated at School Tonight

Annual father-son banquet of the Hamlin chapter of Future Farmers of America is scheduled this (Friday) evening at the Primary School auditorium, it was announced first of the week by T. C. Blankenship and Harold V. Eades, vocational agriculture instructors at Hamlin High School and sponsors of the FFA unit.

T. W. Colby, farm manager of the Abilene Christian College demonstration farm, will be the principal speaker on the program that will follow the banquet luncheon. A program of entertainment has been arranged by the program committee.

Don Crowley, president of the FFA chapter, will open the meeting, then present Jackie Drummond, who will be master of ceremonies for the evening.

About 100 boys and men are expected for the feast and program, the leaders declared.

Jerry Pritchard, 6, Victim of Burns, Much Improved This Week

Condition of Jerry Pritchard, six-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Pritchard of Weatherford, who sustained severe burns last Wednesday morning at the home of his grandparents, north of Hamlin, was much improved Thursday morning, according to a report from the Hamlin Memorial Hospital, where he is being treated. Jerry contracted pneumonia last Thursday as a result of inhaling flames and smoke into his lungs, but this condition was halted first of the week, and the youngster was doing nicely.

The tot was burned when his clothing caught fire while playing in a car at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest L. Johnson on the Hines farm north of Hamlin. How his clothing became ignited has not been determined. Blood transfusions were administered at the hospital.



FIRST WHEAT OF THE SEASON for the Hamlin area—and possibly for the nation—was brought in Saturday by J. T. Smith and son, Floyd, of the Celotex community, six miles southwest of Hamlin. Shown in the picture above as they unloaded the first grain are (left to right) J. T. Smith, the young son of Floyd Smith, and Floyd. The Smiths brought in the first wheat last year on May 24. The grain tested 58 1/2 pounds to the bushel with 16 per cent moisture, and graded No. 1, bringing \$2.07.

Hamlin Section Gets 1.43 Inches in Week-End Rains

Mickey K. Scott, Communist POW, In Korean Camp

Mickey K. Scott of Hamlin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis E. Scott of Hamlin, was among a long list of about 200 American prisoners-of-war who were left behind in a North Korean prison camp when Corporal Joseph L. Jewell of Cincinnati, Ohio, when he recently was exchanged by the Communists in Korea.

Jewell was one of the 200 American captives exchanged for North Korean prisoners held by United Nations forces in Korea. He had kept a list of his buddies in the North Korean prison camp, and Scott's name was among the three Texans included in the list. Jewell said this week from Cincinnati that he had complete home addresses of the prisoners, and that he planned to write personal letters to parents or other given relatives of the boys left behind.

Young Scott was reported missing in action on November 27, 1950. His parents have received mail from the former Hamlin youth in the intervening two years and a half of imprisonment by the North Koreans only occasionally, they report.

Private Scott is a brother of Bill Scott, basketball coach of Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene.

Third Dimension Film Booked at Drive-In

First showing of third dimensional pictures in Hamlin is scheduled for Friday and Saturday of next week at the Drive-In Theater, it was announced this week by Mrs. B. S. Ferguson, owner of the city's two theaters.

"A Day in the Country" is the title of the new type picture that will be part of a double bill slated at the Drive-In. Slight additional charge is being made for the film, which requires special equipment, Mrs. Ferguson states.

Depriest Choral Group Will Sing at Nienda

Game night was conducted at the Nienda community center last Friday night. Games of bingo, forty-two or canasta were played by attendants. Refreshments were served by the hostesses for this month, Mrs. Ervin Ueckert, Mrs. J. C. Hodnett and Mrs. Bill Scott.

Next meeting will be held next Friday, May 22, at 8:00 o'clock, when the Depriest Choral Club of Hamlin will present a musical program. The public is invited to attend, say community leaders.



RED RIVER ROGUES—Clay-colored waters of the rowdy Red River gave up these two giant alligator gars below Paris. Biggest of the two fish weighed 145 pounds and stretched for six feet, eight inches. The other was a 98-pounder. The fishermen, who used nylon-ribs to drag the big boys in, are Clyde Gray (right) and Tommy Morris.

More Oil Tests Spot Hamlin Territory

Oil operations around Hamlin continue at a good clip, and new wells continue to be spotted in the section to maintain activities that promise to set a new record for wells in the section for this year.

Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Company of Fort Worth has spotted its No. 1-A Condor Petroleum Company farm-out as a wildcat five miles southwest of Hamlin in Fisher County. Drillsite is 1,631 feet from the south and 660 feet from the east lines of Section 6, Block R, W. E. Richardson Survey, and is on a 160-acre lease. Contract depth is 6,500 feet.

A. W. and Blair Cherry of Fort Worth No. 1 Nettie Bailey test, nine miles northwest of Hamlin, is drilling below 2,242 feet in a shale formation. It is the confirmation project for the Ida Flippen Lime Field, being located in Section 114, Block 1, H. & T. C. Railway Company Survey. Contract depth is 5,600 feet.

Continental Oil Company's No. 2

Arthur Brinkley Jr., semi-wildcat test 12 miles northeast of Hamlin, was drilling below 1,664 feet first of the week. It is in Section 8, Block A, Arnold & Barnett Survey, and is projected to 4,600 feet.

A new producer has been recorded in the Nenny Field, seven miles northwest of Hamlin in Stonewall County with the completion of Seaboard Oil Company of Delaware's No. 1-A W. F. Edwards. During the daily potential test gauged 397.5 barrels of 40.7-gravity oil. Flow was through a 24-64-inch choke with packer set on the casing and 85 pounds tubing pressure. Production is from an open hole at 5,227-77 feet, and pay section was topped at 5,240 feet. The well was treated with 4,000 gallons of acid.

Weather Extremes Hit Area During Week

This Texas weather! You can never tell what will be dealt out to folks in these parts.

During the past week there has been a variation of 59 degrees in the temperatures. Last Friday a new season high of 109 was registered in mid-afternoon. Then this week, in the early morning hours of Wednesday a low of 41 degrees was recorded, following the blowing in of a "norther" from the Panhandle Plains of Texas, where a snowstorm hit Tuesday morning.

Highway Engineering Office to Be Moved

Engineering offices of the Texas Highway Department will be moved within a few days to new quarters in the Bowen Pope building at the rear of The Herald building, it was announced this week by Jack Richey, chief of the 18-man staff.

Offices of the department have been over Howard City Drug for two years.

22,000,000 WILL DIE.

Unless present rates are altered, 22,000,000 Americans alive today will eventually die of cancer. Help to change these figures by supporting the American Cancer Society's campaign.

Good Season Put In Ground for New Row Crops

Rains that hopped, skipped and jumped through the Hamlin section over the week-end and on through Wednesday of this week left rejoicing and yearnings for more in the hearts of people of these parts. Part of the region received more than two inches of precipitation, while other areas only a few miles away received only sprinkles.

As has been the case for many months previous, no appreciable amount of rain fell in the headlands of Hamlin's South Lake, former source of the city water supply.

Recordings for four days at the city pump station just west of the Santa Fe depot in South Hamlin, as tabulated by Bill Rountree, city water superintendent, follow: May 10, .80 of inch; May 11, .10; May 12, .44; and May 13, .09, making a total of 1.43 inches for the period.

Rainfall north of Hamlin near the Double Mountain Fork of the Brazos River measured up to nearly by three inches. The Hey, old legend, in the Nienda community, south of town six miles, the rainfall amounted to practically nothing. Only sprinkles in that section, which is the watershed for the South Lake, meant that practically no water was caught in the city reservoir.

This week's rainfall brought the total for the year to date to 5.11 inches. Rainfall by months this year has been: January, trace; February, .88; March, 1.58; April, 1.22; and May, 1.43.

McCaulley School Superintendent Heads Teachers in Fisher

T. E. Green, superintendent of schools at McCaulley, was elected president of the Fisher County unit of the Texas State Teachers Association when the group met last Monday night at the Sylvester School auditorium.

Other officers elected were: County Superintendent C. J. Dalton, first vice president; J. H. McHaney, Sylvester principal, second vice president; Mrs. James B. Day of Rotan, recording secretary; and Mrs. J. B. Hughey of Roby, treasurer.

Preceding the business meeting the Sylvester School presented a brief program, using school pupils. "Wild Bill Hecup" was given by eighth grade pupils. Al Maberry Jr. and Frances Parsons sang a novelty number, Peggy Maberry sang solos.

First meeting of the Fisher County group for the 1953-54 school year will be with the Rotan schools.

Special Section for Graduates in Herald

Today's issue of The Hamlin Herald contains a special section dedicated to graduating classes of the area.

Complete programs of baccalaureate and commencement exercises, as well as other pertinent facts and items of interest about the school are used in the section. Congratulatory messages from merchants make the section possible.

Easterwood Called by Anson Baptist Church

Rev. James M. Easterwood, now pastor of the Iowa Park Baptist Church, was named pastor of the First Baptist Church at Anson at a business meeting of church members last Wednesday evening.

Rev. Easterwood is a 1937 graduate of Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene. He completed his work at Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary at Fort Worth in 1946. The Easterwoods have four children.

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YOUNG FOLKS WITH EDUCATION HAVE FUTURE

With the coming again of the graduation season, young folks receiving diplomas will be finding out how much their education means to them. Most high school graduates probably will be making plans to go on to college or university for specialized training in some particular field for their life work. Graduates from college and university, and some of the high school graduates, will be going into jobs or seeking employment.

Young folks who have taken the time and money and effort to better fit themselves for life and making a livelihood will be learning first-hand that it pays to get an education. How many thousands of young people who fail to get at least a high school or college education, getting married or getting out into the business or professional world, have looked back on their earlier years when free education was available to them, and rue the day they dropped out of school because it took too much time and effort or "wasn't worth the trouble!"

Of course, there are exceptions where people have succeeded in the business or professional world without higher education, but

in the vast majority of cases the successful person in life has prepared himself or herself with the basic foundation of a good education. Young people who may have a question in their minds today of how far to go for an education have thousands of examples of educated people attaining greater heights than those who fail to get the education.

And nowhere else in the world is an education so easily attained as in America today. Our system of free schools is a mystery and a wonder to much of the rest of the world. This system has not been provided without vision and forethought of our predecessors, either. Free schools are some of our most precious heritages. The thinking young man and young woman will take advantage of the rare privilege of getting an education "while the getting's good."

Too, the opportunities for an educated person were never so promising as today. An education is a stepping-stone to real living as well as the means of making a living.

Time to Renew Our Faith

Spring is a magic word. To the children it means the end of winter's snow and the time to fly their kites, and shoot their marbles, and begin to show interest in baseball. To the young men and women, their hearts begin to sing because their fancies lightly turn to thoughts of love and romances. To most of us, it is a season when we divide our time between clearing the ravages of winter from around the outside of our homes, and try to keep out of sight and mind of the little lady inside the house, who is trying to do the house-work. To some of us oldsters, who have learned the secret of dodging the menial tasks of gardening and house-work, it is a time to just sit around and watch the flowers grow and grass get green, and the birds whistling in the fields and trees.

But to all of us, it is a joyous time. A time to renew our faith in life. A new surge of freshness and energy to sustain us in the coming months. We cannot make the flowers grow, nor the trees bud into bloom, nor the grass any greener, but we can make some one's outlook on life a little brighter, and some one's load a little lighter, if we just look around. Spring will have much more meaning if you do!

Highway Maintenance Big

If Texas could spend all its highway income on construction of new highways it would have a system of new roads unequalled anywhere.

Maintenance, however, is becoming such a factor in use of highway revenue that it is eating fast into the total amount of money paid by the highways users, according to a study of the Texas Good Roads Association just released.

In 1952 road maintenance took some \$42,000,000 out of the \$120,000,000 total that was available to the highway department, according to the figures.

"It must be remembered that we have many hundreds of miles of highways, built back in the Model T days, that are now carrying 2,000 to 4,000 automobiles a day," said General Ike Ashburn, executive vice president of the TGRA.

"The speed of the automobiles is twice as great and the load limit for trucks is eight times as great. This beats down these old roads unmercifully and the maintenance cost is high," he said.

Highway planners also are pointing to the dwindling dollar value. A dollar of highway money, like any other dollar, is worth less than half what it was when the roads were built.

You Can't Afford It

Frank Crane, who during his life-time was one of the country's most eminent writers, used to say that if a thing doesn't smell right you can't afford to do it.

A peculiar way of expressing it, perhaps, but after all there are certain things a man cannot afford to do.

He cannot afford to be careless. He cannot afford to be dishonest. He must not be a loafer. He cannot afford to be a liar, or to be untrustworthy any more than he can afford to be a drunkard, a gambler, or to spend his time cabaretting. And you will agree that we cannot afford to break any of the ten commandments.

In a converse manner, and more constructively, there are a number of important things which we cannot afford not to do.

No man can afford not to be punctual, especially if that man is a leader. The assurance that your man will be at a pre-determined spot at the exact time engenders confidence in the man, and belief in his sincerity.

No man can afford to be without integrity for the untrustworthy are soon discovered and forever discredited.

No man can afford to be other than a worker, for the industrious man receives the respect and confidence of his neighbors, and his reputation is such that he is the first to be considered when a job turns up that requires immediate attention.

No man can afford to engage in affairs and matters in which he has no interest, for this very lack of interest will find him out and reduce him in the eyes of those whom he is trying to lead or to convince.

No man, and very, very particularly no business man who values his trade, can afford not to have the reputation of reliability.

Have One to Spare?

A smile costs nothing, but gives much. It enriches those who receive without making poorer those who give. It takes but a moment's time, but the memory of it lasts forever. None is so rich or mighty that he cannot get along without it. None is so poor but that he can be made rich by it.

A smile creates happiness in the home, fosters good-will in business and is the counter-tension of friendship. It brings rest to the weary, sunshine to the sad, and it is nature's best antidote to trouble. Yet it cannot be bought, borrowed or stolen, for it is something that is of no value to anyone unless it is given away. Some folks are too tired to give you a smile. Give them one of yours, as there is no one who needs a smile so much as he who has none to give!—Anon.

RECALLING Other Years

☆ Being news items taken from old files of Your Home Town Newspaper The Herald

TWENTY YEARS AGO.
Some of the happening of 20 years ago in the Hamlin area, as recorded in The Hamlin Herald dated May 19, 1933, follow:

Mr. and Mrs. Said Wheed and baby of Munday were guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. Hassen Sunday. Prices in the Piggly Wiggly grocery ad included: 48-pound sack of flour, 89 cents; Airway coffee, 15 cents pound; three loaves of 16-ounce bread for 10 cents; bananas, 10 cents dozen; strawberries, two quart boxes for 25 cents.

The Epworth League of the First Methodist Church was re-organized with the following officers being named: Movelda Carlton, president; Louise Proctor, vice president; Edward W. Gardner, secretary; Jack Wilson, reporter; Mrs. Mize, leader.

In a play to be presented at the Nienda School Friday evening the following people will take parts: C. D. Scott, Wilburn Fields, Neeta Tidwell, Pauline Hudson, Ima Bell Rogers, Pete Tidwell, G. W. Drummond, Nola Castleberry, Lorene Castleberry, John Max Alexander, Oram Weaver and Mary Scott.

Hamlin High School seniors will receive their diplomas Monday evening from W. C. Russell, president of the school board. Florence Boyd is valedictorian and Laverne Miller is salutatorian.

TEN YEARS AGO.
The following items of interest are reproduced from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated May 14, 1933:

Jerry Fred Jay celebrated his fourth birthday May 1 when his mother, Mrs. Eddie Jay, entertained for him with a party for his friends. Those present were Larry Garrett, George Huling, Justin Rowland, Jerry Jones, Stephen Carmichael, Louis Herd, Cecelia Albritton, Patricia Bennett, Jerry Fred and James Eddie Jay.

Mrs. E. M. Wilson is in Midland attending a meeting of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce secretaries and managers.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bailey had almost a family reunion at the Morgan Hotel Sunday. Those present with their parents were Mrs. H. C. Porterfield and children, Barbara Ann and Don, and Dorothy Jane Bailey of San Bernardino, California, and Mrs. Jack Coles of Plainview.

Seven high honor students of the Hamlin High School graduating class will have charge of the commencement exercises Friday evening. They are Ellis Benham, Phala Davis, Charlotte Lewis, Kleta Clements, Paul Fowler, Margaret Sellers and L. B. Petty.

FIVE YEARS AGO.
The following brief bits of news were taken from the issue of The Hamlin Herald dated May 14, 1938:

Born to Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Robertson Jr., a son, who has been named Bobby Joe, Sunday at the Hamlin Memorial Hospital. He is their second son.

Annual junior-senior banquet of Hamlin High School was held Friday night. Donald Young, president of the junior class, was toastmaster. On the program were Jimmy Kidd, Janet Bonner, Ann Agnew, Betty Taylor, Lanell Coltharp, Barbara Rodgers, Dolores Jones and Bobby Brown.

Nita Rimmer of Wichita Falls visited Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Mary Farrow.

Many Hamlinites have been observing the well being drilled near Rotan by Roy Ogletree and a crew. The well was finished last week and was found to be flooded with salt water, much to the sorrow of the crew, for they had been promised new shirts if oil were found.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe L. Culbertson attended a reunion of the class of 1913 at Texas A. & M. College last week-end.

Engagement of Sarah Steele and Joe Ford is being announced this week by the bride-to-be's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Steele. The wedding will be performed at the First Baptist Church on June 5.

ONE YEAR AGO.
From the issue of the Hamlin Herald date May 16, 1952, the following events of the Hamlin are reproduced:

More than 300 Four-H Club boys and girls participated in the tri-district judging contests held at Texas Technological College, Lubbock, Saturday. The Jones County crop judging team placed first among teams from District 3 and second in the overall contests.

David Villa, 28-year-old Hamlin Mexican, was killed Sunday morning in a car wreck near Breckenridge.

Hamlin's city water supply is getting short as a result of the drought and the consequent fall of the water level in the South Lake. Possibility that the city may have to ship in water is imminent, declares Mayor Mac Brundage.

Biggest Cattle Run Since November Hits Fort Worth Market to Make Prices Slow

Biggest cattle run since last November rolled into Fort Worth Monday as 6,300 cattle and 1,100 calves were on hand, reports Ted Goudy, special market reporter for The Herald in his weekly release. He continues:

A big share of the run was grassy and plain stocker and low grade slaughter yearlings and heifers which sold unevenly lower.

High grade fed steers and yearlings and good and choice fat calves returned steady to weak prices. Cows were weak to 25 or 30 cents lower. Bulls sold steady.

W. O. Stevens of Parker County had a load of 432-pound yearlings at \$20; Floyd Reeves of Johnson County had some 750-pound heifers at \$22.50; Mrs. Gene Conway of Tarrant County had some 513-pound heifers at \$22; G. H. Hall of Johnson County had a load of 18 yearlings that averaged 421 pounds; C. L. Newburn of Cherokee County had 34 yearlings at 432 pounds at \$13; and F. W. Vogelsang of Milam County marketed some steers that ranged from \$13 to \$17 and scaled 650 to 870 pounds.

Numerous loads of cows were in the run. G. R. White of Brady sold 40 cows at 785 pounds for \$15.50 and 10 head at 785 pounds for \$13. Bird Moss of Greenwood had some old cows at \$10 and \$12, with some 300-pound calves at \$20. Jess Harcrow of Buffalo had some 477-pound calves at \$20, and some 346-pound calves at \$17. H. L. Hardy of Throckmorton County had some thin cows at \$10 and some 300-pound calves at \$20. Harold H. Campbell of Motley County had a load of 937-pound cows at \$11.50, and a load at \$21 pounds at \$10.50. Some small calves drew \$18 to \$20. W. J.

Durham of Jack County had a load of 886-pound cows at \$11.50.

Good and choice fed steers and yearlings drew \$18 to \$22.50; common to medium kinds sold for \$10 to \$17.50. Fat cows were \$11.50 to \$14, a few higher; canners and cullers sold for \$8 to \$11.50, with some shells lower. Bulls brought \$10 to \$16. One bull returned \$16 or Carl Anderson of McCulloch County, weighing 1,525 pounds.

Good and choice fat calves sold for \$18.50 to \$23; common and medium butchers brought \$12 to \$17, and culls cashed at \$8 to \$10. Stocker calves brought \$21 down;

Twenty thousands sheep and lambs arrived, the largest run since April, 1950. Some 56 per cent of the 12 major markets' supply was at Fort Worth Monday. Trade was steady. Slaughter spring lambs, medium, good and choice grades, brought \$20 to \$26. Clipped fat lambs cashed at \$19 to \$22.50, and feeders were \$19 down.

Hogs sold 50 to 75 cents higher, topping at \$24.50 to \$24.75, equaling last year's highest price at Fort Worth. Cows were 50 cents to \$1 higher at \$22 down. Pigs netted \$21 down.

Mary Hollis Opening New Beauty Shop

Mary Hollis is announcing the formal opening Sunday afternoon of Mary's Beauty Shop, with an open house scheduled from 2:30 to 4:30 o'clock.

The new shop, with new equipment and a complete line of beauty needs, is located at 238 North-west Avenue G. Free gifts will be presented to the first 100 women who attend, Mary says.

Woolsey-Ellison Engagement Told

Engagement and approaching marriage of Doris Jean Woolsey of Abilene and Louis Alfred Ellison of Hamlin was revealed at an announcement party last week in Abilene.

The wedding is scheduled Saturday evening at 8:00 o'clock at the Chapel of Memories in Abilene.

Doris is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Woolsey of Millington, Oklahoma. She is a graduate of Millington High School, and has been employed at the Lone Star Gas Company office in Abilene.

Alfred is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Ellison of Hamlin. He graduated from Hamlin High School and later attended Draughton's Business College. He is employed at the West Texas Utilities Company in Abilene.

Rhode Island, smallest state in the union, has the longest name.

Funds given the American Cancer Society's 1953 crusade will finance more than \$4,500,000 worth of cancer research next year.

New FHA Officers For Hamlin Chapter Installed in Assembly

New officers for the 1953-54 school term for the Hamlin chapter of Future Homemakers of America at Hamlin High School were installed in an assembly program before the high school student body last Thursday morning. Allene Reynolds, the outgoing president, presided over the program. Each incoming officer was asked her duties to which she responded with the duties of her new office.

Installed were: Atha Lea Grice, president; Martha Hubbard, vice president; Laveta French, secretary-treasurer; Joye Bigham, parliamentarian; Norma Jo Murff, reporter; Shirley Nelson, pianist; Janice Agnew, song leader; and Helen Aguna, historian.

The eighth grade girls were special guests of the club at the program and were guests at a tea in the homemaking department following the assembly program.

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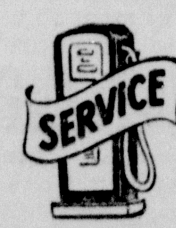
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Gamille Hassen Becomes Bride of Washington Man in Home Ceremony

In a candle-lit setting in the home of the bride, 621 West Lake Drive at 4:00 o'clock Sunday, April 26, Gamille Hassen, daughter of Mrs. B. Hassen of Hamlin, became the bride of Farris Sadak of Washington, D. C. Rev. S. Duane Bruce, pastor of the Hamlin First Methodist Church, read the ceremony before an improvised altar in the home. A double ring rite was used.

The bride was gowned in a traditional wedding dress of heavy white satin with French lace inlays on the skirt, with a long train. Pearls were inlaid around the low-cut neckline of the gown. A finger-tip veil fell from a tiara of pearls and orange blossoms. She carried a bouquet of orchids.

Mrs. K. Dakour, sister of the bride, was maid-of-honor, and Camel Ameen of Houston, friend of the bridegroom, was best man. Nada Hassen, sister of the bride, was flower girl, and Houda Hassen of Stamford, cousin of the bride, lit the candles. The bride was given away by her brother-in-law, Kamel Dakour of Hamlin.

The maid-of-honor and flower girl wore light orchid evening dresses of lace bodice and two skirts of net. The candle-lighter had a corresponding yellow dress.

A dinner was served in the Hassen home before the ceremony for

members of the wedding party. Following the ritual, a reception for guests was given in the backyard. About 75 guests attended.

The bride is a graduate of Hamlin High School, and received a degree from the University of Texas, where she majored in dramatics and speech.

The bridegroom is a graduate of the University of Maryland and has also studied at the Beyroute University in Beyroute, Lebanon. He is a restaurant and night-club owner in the nation's capital.

After a two-week wedding trip to New Orleans, Louisiana, and Miami, Florida, the couple will be at home at 2247 Linnean Avenue, Northwest, in Washington.

For traveling the bride wore a blue shantung street dress with a French drape on the side, and had all white accessories.

The Hassen family has been in business in Hamlin for 25 years.

Deadline for Filing Camp Fire Girls Camp Applications Extended

With only a few vacancies left, registration for Camp Fire Girls and Blue Birds at Camp Wetexa has been extended to May 28. Elmore Smith, Camp Fire executive for the West Texas Area Council, pointed out that only 100 girls can be accommodated, according to plans made by the council. A sizeable number of Hamlin girls have already registered for the annual camp.

"If we reach our quota before May 28, we will have to cancel further registrations," Miss Smith said this week.

Girls who have not yet registered, but are planning to attend the camp at Lueders from July 26 through August 1, are urged to mail their registration cards and the \$3 fee right away.



RECENT BRIDE of Farris Sadak of Washington, D. C., is the former Gamille Hassen (above), daughter of Mrs. B. Hassen of Hamlin. They were married in a beautifully-appointed ceremony in the Hassen home on West Lake Drive. The newlyweds will live in the national capital city.

Elementary P-TA Stages Final Meeting For Year Thursday

Final meeting of the 1952-53 school year of the Hamlin Elementary Parent-Teacher Association was held last Thursday afternoon at the Primary School cafeteria. Parents who will have "first graders" next year were special guests for the day.

Mrs. Harold Williams, a first grade teacher, gave an interesting discussion on the pre-school child.

Mrs. E. J. Hawkins, retiring president, was presented a gift of silver. Officers for the 1953-54 school year were installed by the retiring parliamentarian, Mrs. C. Weldon Griggs. They are as follows: Mrs. Ned Moore, president; Mrs. C. D. Leonard, first vice president; Mrs. W. K. Novak, second vice president; Lunelle Lewis, secretary; Mrs. Starr Inzer, treasurer.

Methodist Junior Choir Invites Others

Members of the Methodist Junior Choir met last Friday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock to practice for special songs that were sung by the group on Mother's Day.

Officers of the group are: Myrna Cook, president; Kay Meason, vice president; Joyce Hines, secretary; Shirdella West, reporter. Mrs. Weldon Griggs is leader for the choir.

Boys and girls of the Methodist Church and others interested are invited to join the group.

er: Mrs. Weldon Johnson, parliamentarian; and Mrs. John Brown Jr., historian.

Mrs. Dickie Ferguson and Mrs. Starr Inzer were hostesses for the day, and served punch and cookies to members and guests. Mrs. M. L. Smith assisted them.

Students, Teachers of Room 5-A Feted at Ranch Style Luncheon

Mrs. L. B. Gage and Mrs. W. J. Cheshier served as hostesses last Thursday when they honored the pupils and teacher of Room 5-A of the Hamlin Elementary School with a ranch style luncheon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gage.

Card tables were arranged in the home, centered by bud vases of rosebuds, and the large dining table was decorated with lovely hand-made flowers.

After a prayer of thanks was offered by Jerry Lee, a pupil, a menu of beans, wieners, fresh vegetables, salads, deviled eggs, hot cornbread and biscuits, cake and iced tea, was served buffet style.

After lunch the group enjoyed a field trip in which objects of science were studied and gathered.

Pupils of this room are Arlon Baize, Otha Ray Brown, William Cranford, Billy Hallmark, Ronnie Hill, Jerry Lee, Rodney Leonard, Eugene Lujan, Young Bill Maddox, Felix Marentes, Jimmy Beasley, Ronnie Dodd, Lorece Allen, Sharon Boren, Beth Cochran, Peggy Dodd, Barbara Cheshier, Rebecca Ferguson, Brenda Fincannon, Sue Flenniken, Martha Gage, Brenda Hargrove, Lana Claude Lancaster, Ann Maberry, Marjorie Maddox and Coral Joe Simpson. Teacher of the group is Mrs. Earl Brown.

O. I. Jenkins Children Home Mother's Day

Mr. and Mrs. O. I. Jenkins had all their children home with them in Hamlin for Mother's Day celebration Sunday.

Here for the day were Mr. and Mrs. John C. Jenkins and boys, Jimmy and Jarrell, of Sunday; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Norris, Pat, Bill and Barbara, of Olney; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kiser of Stamford; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jenkins and girls of Hamlin; Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Bond and children of Hamlin.

Jones County Club Women Celebrate Demonstration Club Week with Tea

Ninety-five Jones County Home Demonstration Club women celebrated National Home Demonstration Club Week on Thursday, May 7, at 2:30 o'clock at the Woman's Club house in Anson with a tea, among whom were several from the Hamlin area.

The registration book was made in the shape of the United States map with Texas drawn on it and then Jones County located and outlined on the Texas map.

Punch and cookies were served to the scores of club women who attended.

Mrs. Maxey Harvey of Willow Creek was in charge of the pro-

gram. Music was played by two Anson High School girls. Mrs. Lou Polnac was introduced, who read a monologue picturing "The Farm Woman Comes Into Her Own." Scenes of the farm woman's ways of doing things were pictured in pantomime by the various clubs over the county. Some of these scenes were ironing, washing, sweeping, baking, canning, beef curing, churning, carrying water and going swimming.

The program ended by tying in the fiftieth anniversary of the farm demonstration work with the theme of National Home Demonstration Week showing that Home

Chester Ivey and Mary Haversen United

Chester Ivey and Mrs. Mary Haversen of Hamlin were united in marriage in rites performed last Friday evening at 9:00 o'clock at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. S. J. King.

Milton Vanderford was best man and Mrs. Vanderford was matron-of-honor. Mother of the bridegroom, Mrs. W. W. Ivey, also attended the ceremony.

During the present year the American Cancer Society is supporting 270 grants-in-aid and 31 institutional grants. Aid this work by giving to the 1953 ACS crusade.

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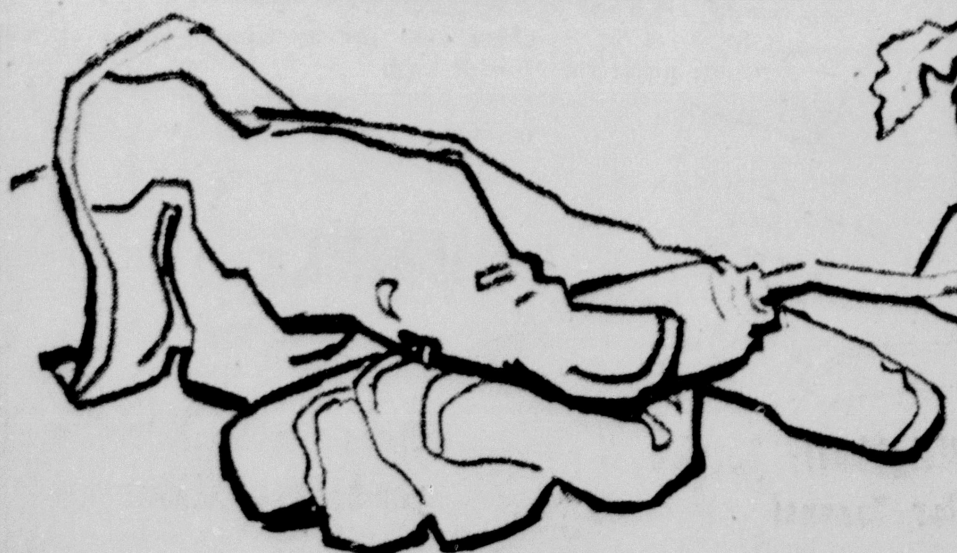
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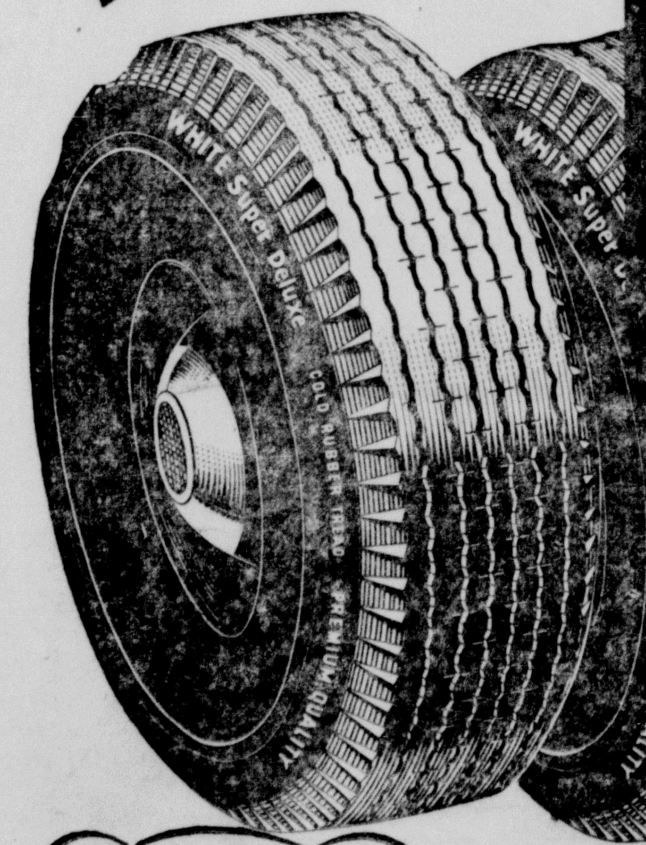
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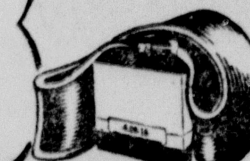
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Congressman Omar Burleson Points to Lack of Self-Sufficiency of Country

Congressman Omar Burleson, in his weekly release to The Herald under the caption, "Washington: As It Looks From Here," discusses the military preparedness of the nation. He says in the release:

The foreign affairs committee, of which I am a member, the past week has been holding hearings in connection with military preparedness in this country and the nations of the free world who are our allies.

Testifying before the committee have been Secretary of State John Foster Dulles, Director of Mutual Security Harold Stassen, Secretary of Defense Charles E. Wilson, Secretary of the Treasury George M. Humphrey, and General Omar Bradley, chairman of the joint chiefs of staff. The hearings will continue for several weeks to come.

Most of these officials have returned from travels in various parts of the world to acquaint themselves with the present situation. Generally, their testimony is very much the same as that heard in previous years. It adds up to the opinion that we continue to live in dangerous times; that Russian Communism is on the march wherever there is weakness; and that the objective for world domination as announced by Marx, Lenin and Stalin has not diminished.

All this, taken in connection with world peace, creates a picture which should be a concern to every person in the United States. It is like playing a game when the opponent has the ball, has his own signals and knows ours also. In other words, the Russians have had the initiative and been on the offensive since World War II. We have been continuously on the defensive. The Eisenhower administration has promised the nation that we would wrest the offensive from the Russians in the "cold war," but it is not easily done as long as there is a "hot war" in

Korea. It is not going to be easy under the most favorable circumstances and the Russians will see that those circumstances are made as difficult as possible.

We in this country usually think of ourselves as being self-sufficient but look at these figures:

We occupy one-nineteenth of the world's land area. We have a population of 158,000,000 people. The Russians today have almost one-half of the world's population, estimated at 2,000,000,000 people, under their control.

Our deficiencies go much further than this. The scientists tell us that there are actually only 15 basic minerals in the world, and we are woefully lacking in nine of them. We have plenty of oil, coal, iron ore, sulphur, phosphate rock and potash, but to build a Sherman tank we must import from foreign countries 99 per cent of the chromium, and 1,915 pounds go into the building of a tank; it requires 950 pounds of manganese for each tank, and 92 per cent of it must be imported; we import 992 per cent of all nickel, and each tank requires 520 pounds; in each tank goes 107 pounds of tin, of which 78 per cent must be imported; bauxite is raw aluminum, and each tank requires 6,512 pounds, and we import 65 per cent of all we use.

Likewise, copper is a requirement and we have half the amount. All industrial diamonds, not to mention uranium, which makes atomic bombs, must come from deep Africa.

We could do without coffee and cigarettes, and the ladies could even do without cosmetics, of which 96 per cent of the ingredients are imported, but I would hate to think we would have to do without a tank, an airplane, a ship or a gun with which to defend ourselves.

These figures show that without imports from all over the world we could only produce 25 per cent of the requirements for national defense.

So we are not a self-sufficient nation by any means. Even if the defense of our nation against



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Katy Carloadings for Week Down from 1952

Local carloadings for Missouri-Kansas-Texas Railway Lines for the week ending May 1, 1953, were 4,591 compared with 4,917 for the corresponding week last year. Received from connections were 4,397 cars, compared with 4,320 in 1952.

Total cars moved to date by the Katy were 161,871 compared with 162,794 for the same period a year ago.

Visiting in the home of Dr. and Mrs. P. A. Fowler over the weekend were Mrs. R. L. Whitten and Mrs. Joe Walser of Oklahoma City, and Mrs. J. R. Nesbitt of Chickasha, Oklahoma. They are sisters and a niece of Mrs. P. A. Fowler.

aggression was not necessary, we could not maintain our standard of living without foreign imports. It requires 14 pounds of manganese to make one ton of steel. Of every 100 pounds of manganese used, 92 pounds must come from outside this country. Without steel, there would be no automobiles, no large buildings, no bridges, no railroads and no oil wells.

We're living in a rather small world and in a sad world, because we must think in terms of defending ourselves against a power which has threatened to destroy us. By necessity we must have a global view and cannot say as did Browning, "God's in his heaven: All's right with the world."

Wife of Pioneer Hamlin Druggist Dies at Age of 83

Funeral services for Mrs. J. J. Waggoner, 83-year-old wife of a pioneer Hamlin druggist, were conducted Friday evening at 6:00 o'clock at the First Baptist Church in Hamlin.

Mrs. Waggoner, who had been in ill health for several years, died at her home at 212 West Lake Drive, Thursday evening at 7:50.

Rev. Danny Williams, pastor of the North Central Avenue Baptist Church in Hamlin, and Rev. S. Duane Bruce, pastor of the First Methodist Church, officiated at the final rites.

Interment was in the Hamlin East Cemetery under the direction of Barrow Funeral Home.

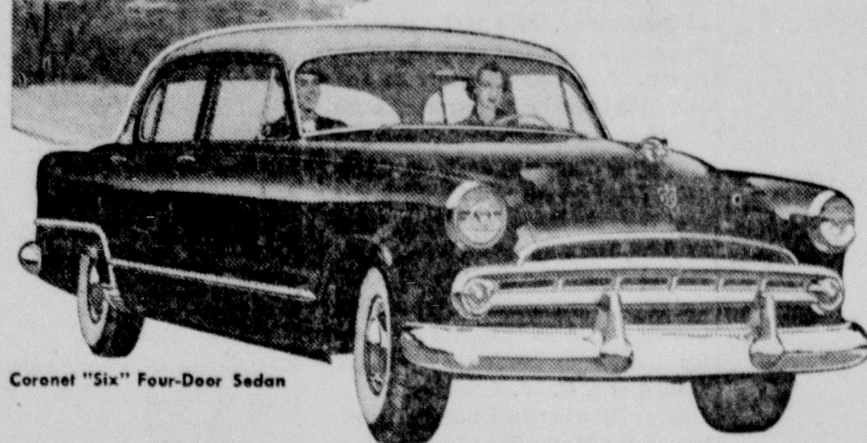
The Waggoner family was one of the pioneer families of this section, and her husband, who died in 1944, operated one of the early business places of the new town. A son, Frank Waggoner, now operates the Waggoner Drug Store here.

Surviving the pioneer are a daughter, Mrs. Mammie Ackers of Anson; two sons, Frank Waggoner of Hamlin and Reynard Waggoner of Cody, Wyoming.

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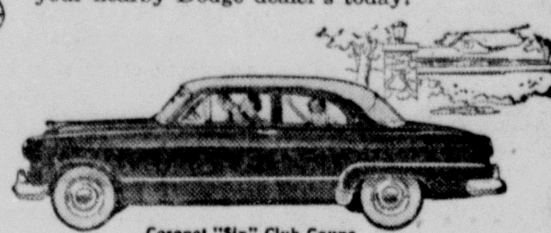
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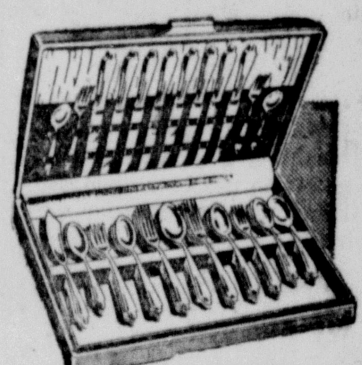
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401	U. S. Chrome 4-in-1 Roast Rack	100.00
1680	EKCO Chrome 8-wing Egg Beater	60.00

SILVERWARE AND STAINLESS STEEL FLATWARE

BBB	NSC 24-pc. PELHAM Stainless Steel Flatware	400.00
B-1	PELHAM pattern Flatware Dinner Knife	27.00
B-2	PELHAM pattern Dinner Fork	17.00
B-3	PELHAM pattern Tea Spoon	17.00
B-4	PELHAM pattern Table Spoon	17.00
A-43	Anti-tarnish Silverware Chest	527.00
AAA	ISABELLA pat. 26-pc. Hostess Set for 6	23.00
A-1	ISABELLA pattern Dinner Knife	20.00
A-2	ISABELLA pattern Dinner Fork	20.00
A-3	ISABELLA pattern Tea Spoon	20.00
A-4	ISABELLA pattern Table Spoon	20.00
A-5	ISABELLA pattern Butter Knife	20.00
A-6	ISABELLA pattern Sugar Shell	20.00

A-11 ISABELLA pattern Hollow Handle Knife GLASSWARE

Article No.	Article	Coupon Value
2138	7-pc. Golden Iridescent Water Set	\$110.00
G-1038	8-pc. Golden Iridescent 1 1/2-oz. Tumbler Set	75.00
2107	7-pc. Crystal Decorated Water Set	95.00
247	8-pc. Crystal Dec. 1 1/2-oz. Tumbler Set	73.00
K-1	3-pc. Mixing Bowl Set	120.00
K-2A	6-pc. Refrigerator Set	75.00
81	14-inch Crib Carnival	134.00
247	7 1/2-inch Baby Rattle	34.00
8815	DUPONT Baby Care Set	40.00

RUGS AND COTTON GOODS

9000	18x36-inch Hll and Miss Throw Rug	44.00
9001	24x45-inch Hll and Miss Throw Rug	71.00
9002	Bathroom Rug and Toilet Seat Cover	110.00
9003	27x48-inch Designed Loon-Chenille Rug	155.00
9004	18x36-inch WESTBURY Yarn Throw Rug	65.00
2998	24x45-inch WESTBURY Yarn Throw Rug	110.00
8750	CANNON 20x40-inch Bath Towel	60.00
2169	CANNON 12x12 Wash Cloths (pag. of 6)	68.00
105	BOZ 30x36-inch Kitchen Towels (3)	95.00
111	BOZ 17x24-inch Utility Cloths (6)	75.00
W30	BOZ 12x12-inch Dish Cloths (6)	80.00
121	BOZ 17x30-inch Col. Kitchen Towels (4)	95.00
365	42x42-inch Table Cloth	73.00
7084	CANNON Star Land Sheet Blanket	200.00

LAMPS, CHINA AND POTTERY

R-2035-1	CRONIN China, Unit No. 1	110.00
R-2035-2	CRONIN China, Unit No. 2	158.00
R-2035-3	CRONIN China, Unit No. 3	158.00
R-2035-4	CRONIN China, Unit No. 4	241.00
153-7	Rodeo Pottery, 20-pc. unit	384.00
153-8	Rodeo Glowtex 52x52-inch Table Cover and Napkin Set	366.00
1000	IDEALITE 20-inch Table Lamp, Maroon	184.00
1001	IDEALITE 20-inch Table Lamp, Green	184.00
2106	POLYNESIAN 26-in. Art Table Lamp	400.00
07	24-inch Ceramic Table Lamp	200.00
474P	18-inch Ceramic Base Lamp	160.00
1315	29-inch Ceramic Column Base Lamp	460.00
2X7M	27-inch Ceramic Decorator Table Lamp	360.00

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1956	SHAKESPEARE Fiberglass Casting Rod	465.00
302	4 1/2-ft. Steel Casting Rod	235.00
100	4 1/2-ft. Fiberglass Casting Rod	300.00
470	Telescopic Bait and Fly Rod	250.00
133	HY-POWER Field Glasses	133.00
0200	FOREST-MASTER Pocket Knife	70.00
8000	L.S.C. 10-Hole Harmonica	60.00
8001	3-pc. Pen and Pencil Set	43.00
588	REDWOOD Leather Billfold (Min's)	150.00
502	Ladies' Leather Billfold and Coin Purse	100.00
310	Ladies' 3-pc. Dresser Set	88.00
311	6-pc. Screw Driver Set	390.00
224-D	26-inch Doll	47.00
215	CORQUET Dominoes, Set of Double Six	90.00
8x2	Gun and Hoist Set	100.00
334	3 1/2-Gas Inflated Soft Ball	23.00
197	Roller Skates, Juvenile size	100.00
GB18	MacGregor Fielder's Glove and Ball Set	240.00
B-62	MacGregor Regulation 12-inch Softball	80.00
F620	MacGregor All-American Football	200.00
40	FALCON 50-mm Candid Camera	133.00
3AWG	12-inch MAMA Doll	100.00
163	18-inch Majorette Plush Doll	133.00

MISCELLANEOUS

5X	WEBSTER'S Illustrated Dictionary	87.00
6X	AMERICAN WAY Cook Book	87.00
4X-C	WORLD Bible	216.00
1050	WEBSTER'S Library of Knowledge	333.00
667	7-inch Dressmakers Scissors	45.00
666	6-inch Dressmakers Scissors	40.00
1105	OSTER Hair Clippers	150.00
K7119	SWEEPRIPE Carpet Sweeper	320.00
211	COUNSELOR Bathroom Scale	384.00
180	KLEENCUT Pinking Shears	180.00
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The Fisher County Courthouse will be closed on Saturday afternoons, beginning June 1, 1953.

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Effect of Insecticides on Soil and Crops Being Studied in Research of Chemicals

Possible damage to crops and soils in the use of insecticides on and around field crops and garden produce is a moot question with farmers and others in the Hamlin section. In the release following John C. White, commissioner of the Texas Department of Agriculture, discusses the effects of insecticides.

How often and for how long can some of the new chemical insecticides be applied to the land without damaging crop yields?

The answer to this serious question is being sought by both Texas and federal plant pathologists. Their eventual conclusions may bring about a rearrangement of crop spraying procedures.

After five years of working with a wide range and amounts of insecticides, including some excessive dosages, some chemicals have been found to remain surprisingly toxic in the soil. The effects of others were relatively mild. An unusually heavy dosage of a popular brand was applied on a test plot of one acre in 1945. To date, the insecticide has lost very little of its toxic effect. We also know now that smaller amounts applied to crops as needed to control insects accumulate in the soil over the years.

Crops found most sensitive to this build-up in the soil are truck garden produce. Growth of some of these crops was reduced as repeated heavy dosages accumulated in the soil, or as increasingly large amounts were applied.

These research findings indicate that heavy, continuous use on the same land of the more stable insecticides may not be a good practice. The farmer should be especially careful to avoid careless, excessive or improper use of the chemicals.

DDT, the first and most widely used of the post-war insecticides, was studied more extensively than others. It was found that an application of about 30 pounds per acre per year could build up soil accumulations in five years that would damage the more sensitive plants.

Limited trials showed technical BHC to be less stable and lasting than DDT, but, because of its high toxicity to plants in the soil, it is capable of forming damaging accumulations if used too frequently at heavy rates. Toxaphene and parathion, however, were found to be so unstable in the soil that they are not expected to accumulate to a harmful degree if recommended practices are followed.

Until further tests are completed, farmers are strongly urged to strictly follow instructions set forth by manufacturers of insecticides. Any chemical can be a boon or curse to agriculture, depending upon how it is used.

If you want to get back on your feet, just get rid of your car.

Mrs. J. J. Crowley, Pioneer of Area, Passes in Hospital

Mrs. J. J. Crowley, resident of this section of West Texas for 45 years, who had made her home at McCaulley, died last Thursday morning in the Callan Hospital at Rotan. She was 79 years of age, and had been in failing health for about four months.

Born in Travis County at Katherine Hunt on August 31, 1873, she was married near Austin in 1891 to John Jerry Crowley. The couple moved to Fisher County in 1908, settling near Royston. When Mr. Crowley died in 1943, Mrs. Crowley moved to McCaulley to live with a son, C. W. Crowley.

Mrs. Crowley had been a member of the Methodist Church practically all her life.

Funeral services were conducted Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock the First Baptist Church at Syl-McCaulley. Officiating were Rev. Orion L. Lewis, pastor of the Faith Methodist Church of Hamlin; Rev. N. M. Martin, pastor of the Methodist Church at Sylvestor; and Rev. John P. Cundieff, pastor of the First Baptist Church at Sylvestor.

Interment was in the McCaulley Cemetery under the direction of Barrow Funeral Home. Pallbearers were Don and Bobby Crowley of Hamlin, Jerry Dan Crowley of Sweetwater, Ernie Tekhonia of Midland, Rufus Goodrum of Rotan and Bennie Ford of Hamlin.

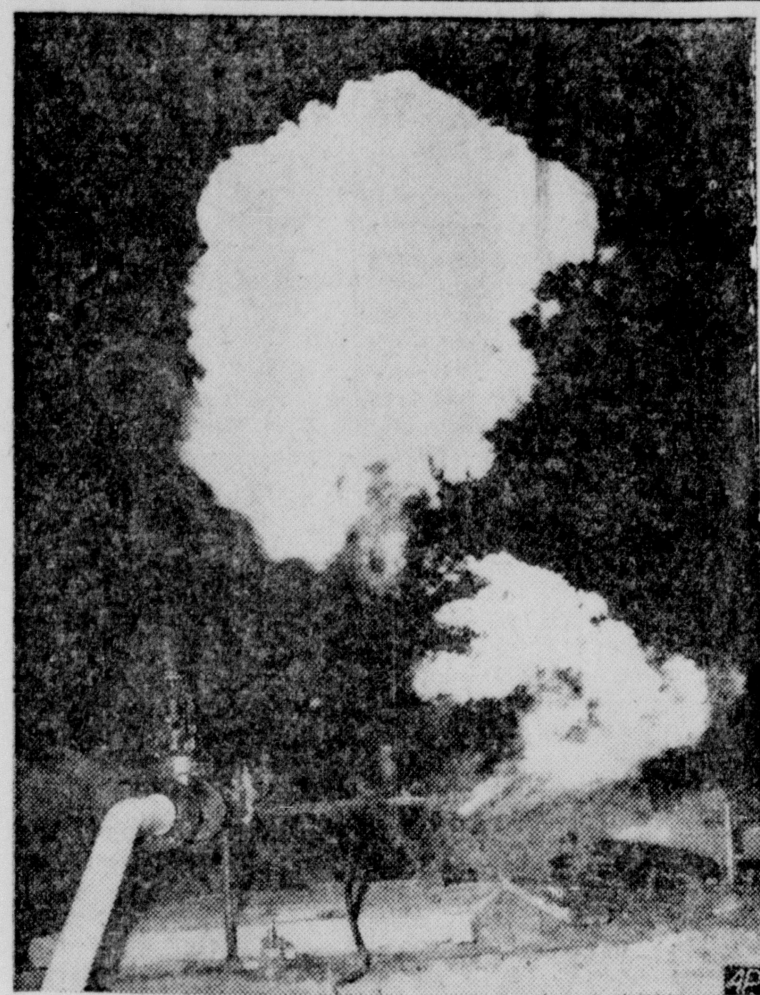
Surviving the West Texas pioneer are four daughters, Mrs. C. H. Clark of Sylvestor, Mrs. J. W. Stephens of McCamey, Mrs. Otis Tucker of Anson and Mrs. H. W. Madden of Hamlin; six sons, C. W. Crowley, Jerry Crowley and C. R. Crowley, all of McCaulley and C. B. Crowley and N. L. Crowley of Hamlin and A. E. Crowley of Snyder; 17 grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. H. E. Brooks of Girard; and a brother, J. P. Hunt of Hamlin.

Ray Huling Station Makes Improvements

Completion of a refinishing job at the Conoco Service Station operated by Ray Huling at the highway intersection on Central Avenue was announced a few days ago by Huling.

New stucco finish has been added to the exterior of the station, and other modernization has been made by Huling.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Knerr were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Thomas of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Gillean of Big Spring and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Gillean and children of Stamford.



GASSER ROARS INTO FLAMES—Flames from a wild gasser at White Deer shot 40 feet into the air when this gas well suddenly burst into fire while it was being cleaned. A bulldozer was used to try to douse the flames with dirt. The fire raged for hours before being brought under control.

Conference Held for Faith Methodist Unit

Fourth quarterly conference for the Faith Methodist Church in Southeast Hamlin was conducted Sunday by Rev. Marshall Rheu of Stamford. Rev. Rheu is district superintendent of the district.

The superintendent preached at the Sunday evening service. Special music was presented by the Junior Choir. Following the services, new officers for the church also were elected at the conference.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Pitzer of Chickasha, Oklahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Duffield Smith and Wade of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Cassle Jr. and Freddie and Joyce of Wichita, Kansas, spent the past week-end with Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Cassle Sr. in Hamlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Bowen Pope left Wednesday afternoon for Ardmore, Oklahoma, to be at the bedside of a sister of Mrs. Pope, who was reported critically ill.

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Taxpayer Must File Application Soon for Homestead Exemption

Jones County home owners who wish to claim the homestead tax exemption on state taxes have until May 31 to file their annual homestead exemption application at the county tax assessor's office.

Ina B. Dougherty, tax assessor-collector, said homesteads up to an assessed value of \$3,000 are exempt from state taxes if claims are filed by that date. Applications for exemption up to an assessed value of \$3,000 also may be filed on 200 acres of land as an alternative to filing for exemption on homesteads, the tax official said.

The savings average on such exemptions is from \$10 to \$15 an owner. New application for the exemption must be filed annually, however. The exemption does not cover county, city, school district and other taxes.

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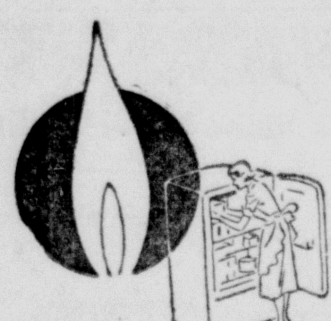
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Report of the Condition of the	
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At the close of business on April 20, 1953.	
Published in response to call made by the Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.	
ASSETS	
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance and cash items in process of collection	\$1,067,726.75
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	2,027,832.00
Obligations of states and political subdivisions	3,000.00
Other bonds, notes and debentures	188,052.53
Corporate stocks (including \$6,000.00 stock of Federal Reserve Bank)	6,000.00
Loans and discounts (including \$3,968.78 overdrafts)	1,245,340.28
Bank premises owned	\$20,000.00
Furniture and fixtures	10,395.38
Real estate owned other than bank premises	1.00
Total Assets	\$4,568,347.94
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	\$3,625,717.09
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	95,328.24
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	59,607.01
Deposits of states and political subdivisions	482,645.54
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	8,986.40
Total deposits	\$4,272,284.28
Total Liabilities	\$4,272,284.28
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital stock: Common stock, total par	100,000.00
Surplus	100,000.00
Undivided Profits	95,338.55
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred stock)	725.11
Total Capital Accounts	196,063.66
Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts	\$4,568,347.94
MEMORANDA	
Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes	\$ 570,000.00
State of Texas, County of Jones, ss:	
I, Lennie Greenway, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.—Lennie Greenway, Cashier.	
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 30th day of April, 1953.—May Gay, Notary Public, Jones County, Texas.	
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Babson Declares Korean Peace May Affect Employment Situation in U. S.

"Korea and Your Job" is the topic of discussion for this week by Roger W. Babson, outstanding analyst and economist, who is a regular contributor to columns of The Herald. He writes:

Readers will be interested in remembering that recently in this column I stated: "Churchill could be a great factor in bringing the Korean War to an end. Therefore, I believe that 1953 will see a Korean truce unless one of the satellites kicks over the apple cart."

A truce merely means cessation of fighting to ascertain if terms for peace can be arranged, but chances for peace are, of course, greatly enhanced by an armistice. If peace should come in Korea, what would it mean to the average American? Perhaps the most immediately important effect would be the loss of overtime and other extras which have come to be considered as fixed wages. Some families are already frantic, especially those with teen-age children, who claim they will be "disgraced" if the car or television or fur coat is taken away from them. During a truce these people, at least, will be cautious about future installment commitments.

Peace in Korea does not mean that our rearmament program will be cut down this year. Already too many families are cutting down on meats, doctors, dentists and other expenditures which the neighbors do not know about. This explains the record decline in the sale of some commodities, due, in part, to a fear of Korean peace.

It certainly seems as if some manufacturers of products now sold on shaky installments will

sometime be headed for trouble. As these goods are taken back and repossessed, the stores where they were purchased may buy fewer electrical appliances, furniture and fur coats. If so, this may cause manufacturers to reduce their employees and hence cause some unemployment. But it is a mistake to get frightened about this now.

Just as prosperity rolls up like a snowball when employment is increasing, the snowball quickly melts when unemployment gets underway. We are now in the first stages, with the cutting off of overtime and perhaps one shift. Deflation has already taken the place of inflation. The 53-cent dollar which I advised "buying" during 1952 is already worth more.

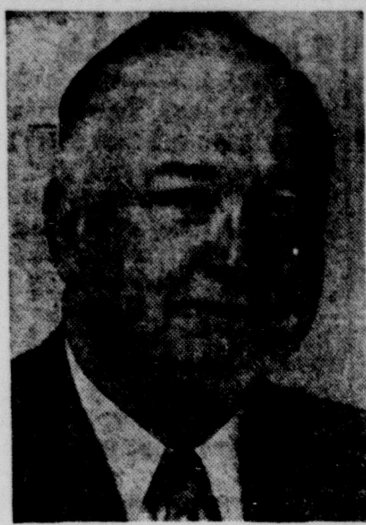
I dread going through another period of unemployment, but I really believe that such may someday be necessary to correct the evils of waste, inefficiency and dishonesty which develop during "good times." Unfortunately, we learn only through adversity.

Furthermore, the sooner such corrections take place, the better off we all should be. Those who now give their best to their employers will be the first to be laid off, if ever. The last to be discharged are the lazy clock-watchers who, when applying for their jobs, asked: "What's the pay? How many hours? Do I get Saturdays off, and what about coffee?"

Young people claim that they have not the opportunities which their parents had. They talk about the "big corporations" doing all the business and supplying all the jobs, affording little chance to small businesses. I don't admit this to be true. There are more opportunities now than ever before for young men to go into business for themselves if they will work 10 hours a day, for six days a week, and save money, the same as I had to do.

Good salesmen are needed now more than ever. Good advertising backed by good advertising is the life blood of every business. They need no labor unions and are always well paid. They are never found among the unemployed. Hence, for their hard work "pounding pavements and ringing door bells" they need not ever fear being caught by installment purchases or any financial difficulties, under any circumstances.

In view of the news from Korea, these salesmen should now work harder than ever. In short, I believe we may some time suffer from unemployment, but a Korean peace need not bring this about. The free nations will still be fighting Russia's determination for world supremacy.



R. L. Wheelock, Corsicana oil and cattleman, has been named State Chairman for the first annual Mental Health Fund Campaign to raise \$148,796 for the Texas Society and National Association for Mental Health. The campaign will be conducted throughout the state during the month of May. Mental Health Week will be observed in schools, churches and by other groups from May 3 to 9. Headquarters for the Mental Health Fund campaign have been opened at 510 Southland Annex Building in Dallas.

Texans Owe Nearly Half of Money Now Due to Loan Sharks

Of all the money owed to loan sharks in the United States, nearly one-half is owed by the citizens of Texas, according to a study made by the Bureau of Business Research of Western Reserve University.

Edward B. Winn of Dallas, first vice president of the Junior Bar of Texas, citing this finding, asks "Why do Texans pay almost as much to loan sharks as the people of the other 47 states combined? Because 33 states have solved the small loan problem through legislation that is fair alike to borrower and lender—with the result that the usurers, driven of these other states, concentrate in the remaining states, of which Texas is the chief."

The Junior Bar of Texas is urging adoption of a constitutional amendment and a statute, prepared by a special committee of the State Bar of Texas, placing a ceiling on all charges, whether called interest or anything else, that a borrower has to pay. This small loan legislation also would place the loan companies under the supervision of the State Banking Department.

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Lions See Proof of Soil Improvement Being Done by California Creek Projects

Great strides in soil improvement and water conservation are being made right here in the Hamlin section, members and guests of the Hamlin Lions Club learned from colored slides shown at the Tuesday noon luncheon of the civic club, meeting at the oil mill guest house.

Albert Jordan, conservationist with the California Creek Soil Conservation District, presented pictures of work being done in the territory by farmers and ranchers under the supervision of the soil and water district which proved that planned management of the soils is paying off in improved crop yields, conserved water and checking of erosion.

Jordan showed pictures of new soil-building legumes and grasses that were lush even under drought conditions of the past two or three years, revealing the work of the district on farms and ranches of many people known to members of the Lions Club.

Territory of the California Creek Conservation District, Jordan said, extends roughly west to around Royston, south to Anson, east to the Clear Fork near Luaders and north to the Salt Fork of the

Seth Adams Among NMU Grid Returnees

Seth Adams of Hamlin was among returning squadmen reporting for spring football sessions at Eastern New Mexico University at Portales, Monday.

Coach Al Garten greeted 24 lettermen and four squadmen from last year's New Mexico Conference co-championship team, says a release this week to The Herald from the university.

Susanne Hudson of McMurtry College, Abilene, spent Mother's Day at Hamlin with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hudson.

Mr. and Mrs. Denman Morgan and daughter, Geradine, of Lubbock spent Mother's Day with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Morgan.

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The presence of so many good friends and neighbors, their kind deeds of assistance, their words of condolence, their floral offerings, all have contributed to the easing of our sorrow in the going of our loved one. May God Bless each of you. That you may have such good people near you when sorrow comes your way is the sincere prayer of Mrs. Frank L. Jobe and boys. 1p

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our appreciation for every sympathy extended to us in our recent bereavement. We will always remember and appreciate the fine food prepared, the beautiful floral offering, the faithful doctors and nurses and our many friends. Also we wish to thank Rev. Orion N. Lewis and those assisting with the lovely service at the church. We pray God's richest blessings on each of you.—The Crowley Family. 1p

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Ground Beef Ground fresh dairy	Lb. 35c
Sliced Bacon Capital Sugar cured	Lb. 57c
Sliced Bacon Plain collar wrapped	Lb. 53c
Dry Salt Bacon Fine for seasoning	Lb. 37c
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Frankfurters Skinless	Lb. 35c
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Fresh Tomatoes Firm, Pink	2 1/4-oz. Cans. 29c
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Pineapples Mexican Sugar leaf	Lb. 7c
Florida Oranges Sweet, juicy	Lb. 7 1/2c
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Ground Paprika	Crown Colony	1 1/2-oz. Can	17c
Ground Cinnamon	Crown Colony	1 1/2-oz. Can	13c
Pepper	Crown Colony Black, Ground	1-oz. Can	15c
Pepper	Crown Colony Black, Ground	4-oz. Can	59c
Sage	Crown Colony Ground, rubbed	1 1/2-oz. Can	15c
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Pork & Beans	Taste Tails 2 1/2-oz. Cans	25c
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Weather Extremes Reported in Texas Cotton Situation

Extremes in weather conditions prevailed over the state, according to the weekly cotton situation report to The Herald from the Texas A. & M. College system and the United States Department of Agriculture cooperating. The report continues:

Sandstorms occurred in the North and South Plains and in the El Paso Valley areas. Heavy rains fell in the North Central, Northeast and in some sections of the South Central area. Moisture continues to be needed in the western areas.

Boll weevils are emerging from hibernation cages at Waco and College Station in normal or slightly above normal numbers for this time of year. Boll weevil infestations in the Lower Valley are generally light.

Over-wintered boll weevils were found at the average rate of 113 per acre in Jim Wells County and as many as 60 per acre were found in several fields of Starr County. Other counties in which weevils were found in a few fields were Refugio, Wharton, Fort Bend, DeWitt, Gonzales, Guadalupe, Falls, Fayette and Colorado.

Cotton flea hoppers continue to damage cotton in some fields in the Lower Valley. Light infestations exist in all southern counties through the upper coastal area. Records indicate that infestations are sufficiently heavy to warrant control measures in some fields of Jim Wells, Starr and LaSalle Counties.

Robertson Station Adding New Wings

Two new wings have been added to the T. C. Robertson Service station in the 400 block of West Drive to accommodate wash and lubrication facilities at the station. The new washing section is at the rear of the station building, and the lubrication stall on the west



THERE'S A RAILROAD UNDERNEATH—Dust storms which whipped across the South Plains of Texas buried two short sections of Santa Fe Railroad tracks west of Brownfield, and bulldozers were called in to move the main portion of the sand so that work gangs could get to work to clear the rest of the track bed. At this point, the sand was as much as two feet deep over the rails.

Application Forms for Smith-Doxey Act Free Cotton Classing in Agent's Hands

Application forms for group membership in the 1953 Smith-Doxey program are being sent to W. H. (Bill) Lehmborg, Jones County agricultural agent, H. J. Matejowsky of the Abilene cotton classing office said this week.

Farmers who wish to join cotton improvement groups and avail themselves of free classing and market quotation service should not waste any time, Matejowsky stated. They should join a group before they plant their cotton.

After they are in a group, the elected group leader will make one application, with the assistance of the county agent or local ginner, covering all members. He will send it to the Abilene cotton classing office.

Under the Smith-Doxey act, Matejowsky explained, any group

of farmers organized to promote improvement of cotton, which adopts a single variety, files an application, arranges for sampling, and meets certain other requirements, is eligible to take part. No fees are involved. Members then get their cotton classed free by the U. S. Department of Agriculture at the local classing office.

After classing, a green card on each bale is returned to the farmer. This, plus the market news service, gives him a definite advantage in trading, for he knows exactly what he is selling and how much it is worth. Also, Matejowsky added, he can even sell his cotton by presenting his green card to the buyer for examination in place of an actual sample.

Office Supplies at the Herald

International Air Due At State Fair of Texas

A large international audience for the Pan-American Livestock Exposition during the 1953 State Fair of Texas has been assured by the recent fair-sponsored tour of Mexico, Ray L. Miller, chairman of the fair's Pan-American committee, has announced.

The 10-man team of fair officials, breed association representatives and newspapermen covered nearly 5,000 miles by air, and contacted more than 1,000 Mexican ranchers, bankers, businessmen and government officials.

All the children of Rev. and Mrs. S. J. King spent Mother's Day with their parents in Hamlin Sunday. They were Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Bristow and boys of Mule-shoe, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Barnett and son of Hamlin and Mr. and Mrs. Spurgeon King and children of Abilene.

Rotarians See Colored Film on New Mexico Areas

"Trail of the Pueblos" was the title of a beautifully colored film shown at the Wednesday noon luncheon of the Hamlin Rotary Club at the oil mill guest house. The film was released by the Santa Fe Railway.

Scenes of the picturesque state of New Mexico were featured in the film with narrative description of the views. Behind the entire film was the theme of diversification sponsored by the railroad.

Highlights of the picture showed the pueblos and famous missions around Santa Clara and in the Rio Grande Valley of Central New Mexico, including the Samuel de Alonzo Mission and corn dances observed by the Indians of the area.

At Santa Fe the film showed the St. Francis Cathedral, the San Miguel Mission and the Palace of Governors; the oldest house in United States; the Gallagher Gardens and Fiesta time at Santa Fe. Bishop's Lodge in the Pinon Mountains featured the Aspen Forests and skiing.

Guests at the Wednesday luncheon included K. K. Francis of

Granddaughter Drinks Furniture Polish

Mr. and Mrs. Oddis Hallmark were called to Abilene last Friday afternoon upon receipt of news that their granddaughter was in a critical condition following her swallowing of furniture polish.

The child was rushed to Hendrick Memorial Hospital, where emergency treatment was administered. Attending physicians declared the child's lungs were seriously burned. However, the grandparents report her much improved this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Tidwell and children, Leta Rae, Lawannah Ralph and Jack, of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Tidwell and children, Ronnie and Sharon, of Houston spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Tidwell, and Vera Mother's Day.

Mrs. W. S. Graham visited Mr. and Mrs. Prentice Graham and children at Wichita Falls over the weekend.

Stamford; George Beard of Sweetwater; Bill Blakeney, Lester I. Barry and R. E. Kuykendall of Abilene; and James Burkhardt, Hamlin High School senior, Junior Rotarian for the month.

Training Union to Be Featured on Baptist Program

The Training Union will be featured at the monthly Workers' Conference of the Jones County Baptist Association when representatives from the 29 Baptist Churches of the county meet with the Avoca Baptist Church next Tuesday, May 19. Theme for the program, which will begin at 5:00 o'clock p. m., will be "Benefits from a Well Ordered Training Union."

Complete program for the gathering follows:

5:00 p. m.—Board meetings.
6:00 p. m.—Supper.
7:00 p. m.—Song service, Tommy Adams of Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene.
7:30 p. m.—"What the Enlargement Campaign Meant to Our Church," Rev. Miles K. Hays of Hamlin, David Kuykendall of Anson, Rev. Byron Bryant of Stamford.

7:45 p. m.—"Measuring Our Training Program," Frank Brunette of Hamlin.

"Measuring the Benefits of Our Training," C. W. Hedrick of Lueders.

"Measuring the Spiritual Re-

sults of Our Training," Dr. W. Beazley of H-SU.
8:30 p. m.—Special music, Tommy Adams of H-SU.
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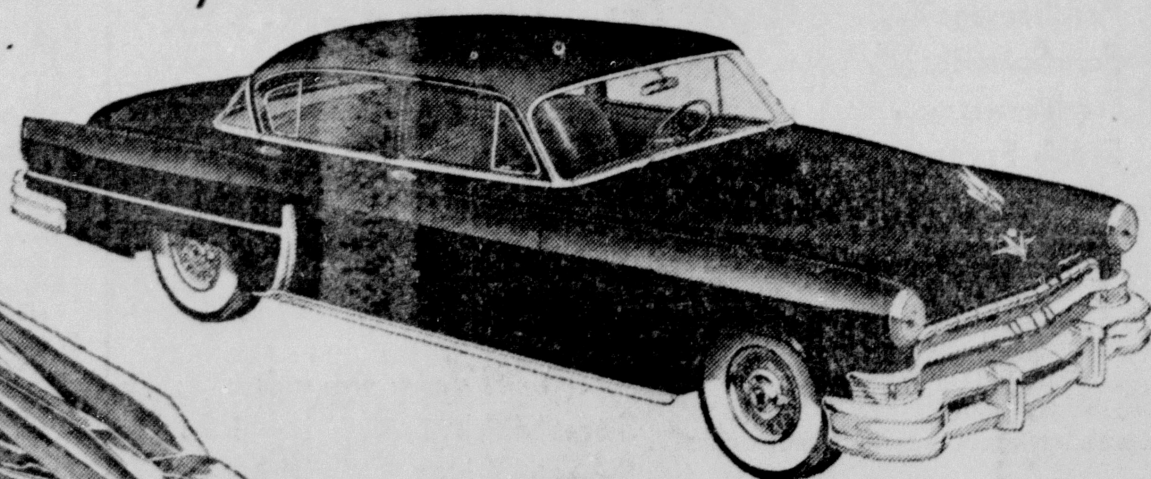
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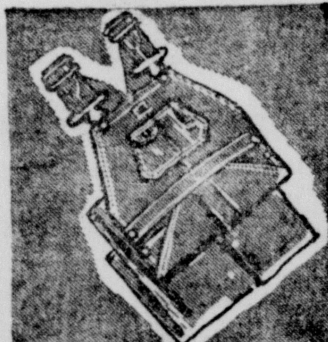
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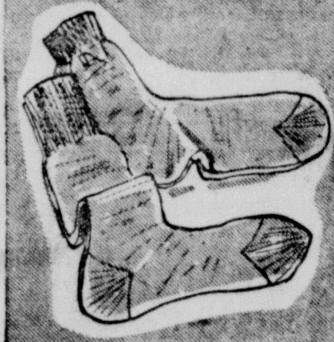
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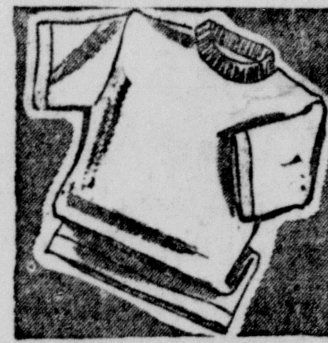
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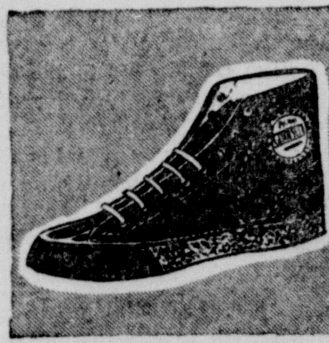
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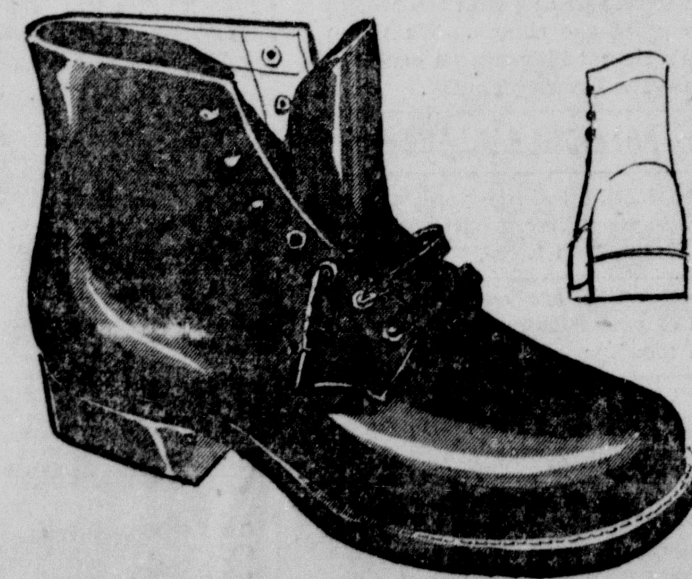
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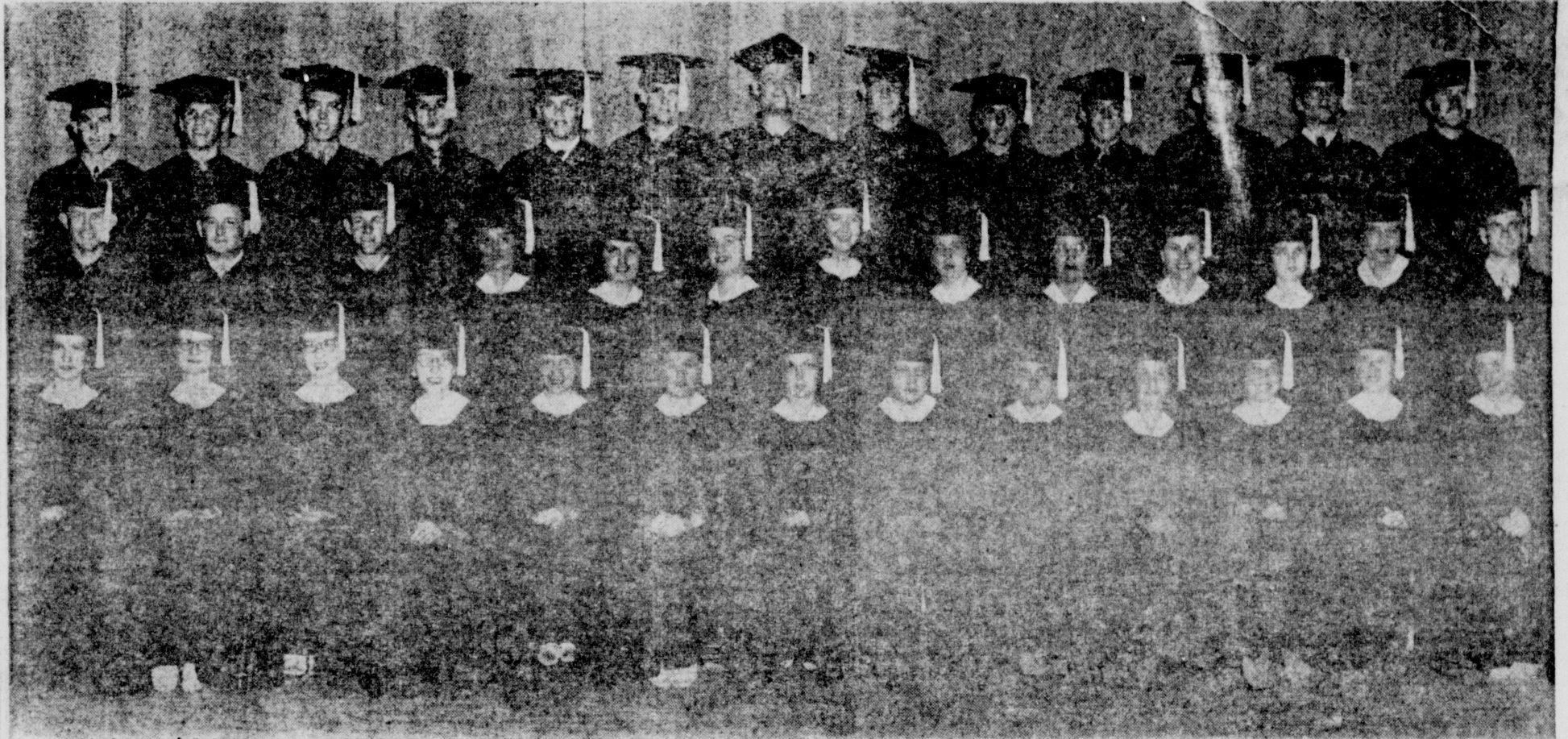
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39 Hamlin Seniors Will Graduate Thursday



THESE HAMLIN HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS are destined to receive their diplomas in commencement exercises next Thursday evening in the high school auditorium. They are: Top row (left to right)—Robert Rhoton Jr., Joe Don Hymer, Jack Wright, J. R. Rhoton, James Burkhart, Robert Fletcher, Anthony Lakey, Kenneth Barnett, Kevon Rogers, Glenn Smith, Don Max Kelly, Marvin Johnson and Clark Hewett; second row (left to right)—Don Johnson, Noel Weaver, Joe Ray Rosenbaum, June Berry, Velma Ellison, Norman Brown, Ella Mae Turner, Kathryn Ritchie Darden, Dorothy Lujan, Vivian Beck, Billie Putnam Williams, Ann Watts and Larry Ikeler; bottom row (left to right)—Laverne Higdon, Nona White, Jere Lynn Irwin Burkhart, Jo Anne Holmes, Allene Reynolds, Jerry Lee, Marylee Roland, Joanne Moyers, Naomi Cundieff, Louella Brigham, Sammie Cavitt, Imogene York and Maxine Crawford.

Midwestern U. Prexy to Speak At Commencement

Dr. James E. Boren, president of Midwestern University at Wichita Falls, will be the commencement speaker at final school graduation exercises next Thursday evening at 8:15. The rites will be conducted in the high school auditorium.

Born in 1905, Dr. Boren has been almost constantly in school work, beginning his professional career as a public school superintendent at the early age of 23. He holds a bachelor of arts and a bachelor of education degree from Oklahoma City University, a master of education degree from Oklahoma University, and a doctor of philosophy degree from Texas University. In addition to these earned degrees, he has been honored by a doctor of letters degree from Austin College and a doctor of humanities from Oklahoma City University.

He began his college administration career by organizing and establishing his belief in the fact that all young people should be given the opportunity for education. In 1939 he became president of Southwestern State College in Oklahoma, and in 1942 president of Midwestern University in Wichita Falls.

Midwestern University at that time was a small junior college. By his strength of character and endless determination Dr. Boren built a university that is outstanding in the Southwest today for strong academic training, outstanding faculty, and democratic student body. Everything in his career demonstrates his belief in the betterment of young America.

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EARL E. GARDNER (above) is the sole graduate this year at DePriest Colored School in Hamlin. Commencement exercises for him and 12 eighth graders will be conducted Thursday evening at the colored school.

DePriest Choral Group To Sing at Nienda

The Choral Club of Depriest Colored School in Hamlin has been invited to present a program at the next Friday evening meeting at the Nienda community center.

The group, under the direction of Mrs. Gwendolyn Tyiska, will present sacred, classical and popular numbers.

Graduates at Hamlin Average 17½ Years

Graduates are getting younger and younger at the Hamlin High School. This year's class members average about 17 years and seven months, compared with last year's group average of barely 18.

In the 1953 class are one 16-year-old, nineteen 17-year-olds, 17 who are 18 and two who are 19 years of age.

Warder K. Novak To Speak Sunday For Baccalaureate

Baccalaureate services for the graduating class of Hamlin High School will be conducted Sunday evening at the high school auditorium. The program will begin at 8:00 o'clock, according to announcement by I. R. Huchingson, superintendent.

Warder K. Novak, minister of the Hamlin Church of Christ, will preach the baccalaureate sermon. Local ministers are used for this place every year, and the time for the various churches' pastors is rotated, Huchingson says.

Complete program for the Sunday evening services follows:

Processional—Vera Tidwell.

Invocation—Rev. Duane Bruce, pastor of the First Methodist Church.

Special Music—Hamlin High School Male Quartet, composed of Jack Wright, James Burkhart, Joe Don Hymer and Don Johnson.

Announcements—Superintendent I. R. Huchingson.

Sermon—Warder K. Novak.

Benediction—Rev. Miles B. Hays, pastor of the First Baptist Church.

Recessional—Vera Tidwell.

Library at DePriest School Grows Steadily

A growing list of books is being assembled at DePriest Colored School in Hamlin to offer the more than 125 students of the community a wide variety of text and reference books, reports E. S. Morgan, principal.

Recently members of the Beta Sigma Phi Sorority assisted recently in additions to the library.



WARDER K. NOVAK, minister of the Hamlin Church of Christ, will deliver the baccalaureate sermon for the Hamlin senior Sunday evening in the high school auditorium at 8:00.

More Than 125 Take Instruction in Band

One of the busiest persons on the Hamlin school staff is Walter Chalcraft, head of the music department. He has had more than 125 students in high school and junior high taking band instruction the past year. Two complete bands are fully organized, a 60-piece Pied Piper high school band, and a 60-piece group at the junior high school, besides several others not "making the grade" for the units.

In addition to his band duties, Chalcraft directs choral groups and special singing groups.

OIL INDUSTRY RESEARCH.

Each year the oil industry spends \$100,000,000 in research and employs more than 20,000 trained chemists and researchers. Each day, on the average, they discover 21 new products or new uses for old products—all made from oil.

Graduating Class One Larger Than Last Year's 38

Despite the third drouthy year in a row that caused many families formerly living in the Hamlin Consolidated Independent School to have to move to other places in order to find employment, with resulting withdrawal of numbers of students from high school, the graduating class for 1953 is one larger than that of 1952.

Graduating classes in recent years have been larger than the past two, a check of the records indicates. Record class for Hamlin High School was in 1940 when 80 seniors were presented diplomas. In 1951 there were 49 seniors, in 1950 a low of 20 (because of the installation of the new 12-grade system), and in 1949 there were 55 graduates.

In this year's graduating group of 39 there are 17 boys and 22 girls. In last year's group of seniors the boys were in the majority, there being 27 boys and only 11 girls—an unusual occurrence.

Four Girls and Sponsor Go to FFA Open House

Four Future Homemakers of America of Hamlin High School attended the sixteenth annual open house of the home economics division of Texas Technological College at Lubbock recently.

The group saw a style show of clothes made and modeled by home economics students, two complete kitchens in two different floor plans, the college nursery school, and the crafts laboratory.

Those attending were Quata Miller, Peggy Jenkins, Allene Reynolds and Atha Lea Grice, and Edith Scott, advisor.

Hamlin Seniors Still Talking About Wonderful Trip Made to South Texas

Hamlin High School seniors are still talking about the wonderful annual trip which was made by the group recently to South Central Texas.

The seniors left Sunday, April 28, by bus for Austin, where they visited the sights in the state capital, including the capitol building and structures on the campus of the University of Texas. They then went to New Braunfels, where they made their headquarters for the week-end at the Mission guest house. There they relaxed, swam, rode horseback, visited the nearby sites and had fun in general.

Tuesday morning they went to San Antonio, including a visit of the Alamo, famous Texas shrine, and other interesting points. They returned home Tuesday night—all fagged out, but rejoicing over a delightful outing.

Following are the ones who made the trip: B. V. Newberry, Mrs. Austin Poe, Mrs. C. D. Roland, Mrs. E. A. Hewett and Mrs. Noel Weaver, chaperones; and these seniors: Kenneth Barnett, James Burkhart, Robert Fletcher, Clark Hewett, Don Johnson, Marvin Johnson, Joe Don Hymer, Don Kelly, Anthony Lakey, J. R. Rhoton, Robert Rhoton, Kevon Rogers, Joe Ray Rosenbaum, Glenn Smith, Guy Weaver, Jack Wright, Vivian Beck, June Berry, Louella Brigham, Norma Brown, Jere Lynn Burkhart, Sammie Cavitt.

Vivian Beck Youngest Senior to Graduate

Youngest member of the graduating class of Hamlin High School this year is Vivian Beck, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Beck, who will be 17 years of age on June 14. Jere Lynn Burkhart, 17, and Maxine Crawford are barely 17.

Youngest boy in the senior group is Kevon Rogers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmon D. Rogers, who also is 17.

Crawford, Naomi Cundieff, Kathryn Darden, Velma Ellison, Laverne Higdon, Jo Ann Holmes, Jerry Lee, Dorothy Lujan, Jo Ann Moyers, Allene Reynolds, Marylee Roland, Ella Mae Turner, Ann Watts, Billie Williams, Nona White and Imogene York.

DePriest Singing Unit State Win Is Highlight

One of the highlights of the closing school year at DePriest Colored School in Hamlin was the showing made by the girls' singing group in the recent state Inter-scholastic League meet contests at Prairie View A. & M. College.

The girls' quartet, composed of Clementine Turner, Vinita Mayfield, Joye Fay Andrews and Joanne Logan, placed second in competition with representatives from colored school all over the state of Texas. Vinita Mayfield was the second-place winning soloist.

This group was accompanied to the state meet by Mrs. G. L. Tyiska, director of the singing group, and E. S. Morgan, DePriest School principal.

Sylvester Man Speaks For McCaulley Seniors

Rev. E. H. Martin, pastor of the Sylvester Methodist Church, delivered the baccalaureate address for the seniors of McCaulley High School Sunday evening at the McCaulley Baptist Church.

Preceding the sermon, a chorus group of freshmen and juniors under the direction of Donnie Nell Cox sang. Jo Ann Ferguson was accompanist for the songs.

A good sized crowd of community people attended the exercises. Members of the graduating class occupied a special section in the front center section of the church auditorium.

Good Progress Reported on Move For Colored Band

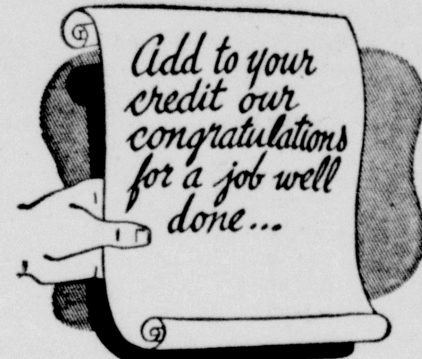
Good progress is reported on a movement to organize a band for students of DePriest Colored School in Hamlin.

Superintendent I. R. Huchingson announced several weeks ago plans to form a musical organization of some 20 pieces for the colored school. The band will be under the direction of Walter Chalcraft, music director of Hamlin Schools.

An appeal for musical instruments for the proposed group has been made by school officials. People of the community who have instruments which are not being used and will donate them or sell them at nominal cost were urged to contact school leaders at the superintendent's office.

Hamlin has one of West Texas' outstanding little colored schools, and some fine work is being done among the boys and girls. There is a fertile field for a band, Principal E. S. Morgan of DePriest School believes.

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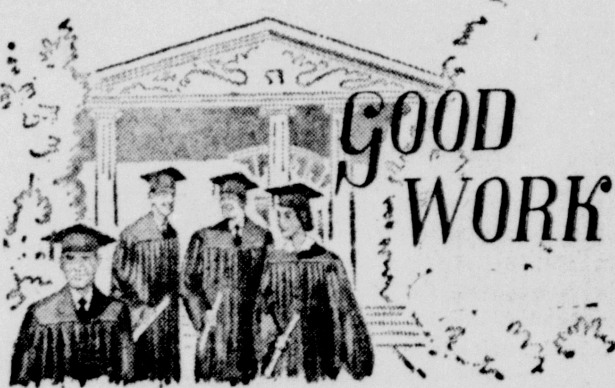
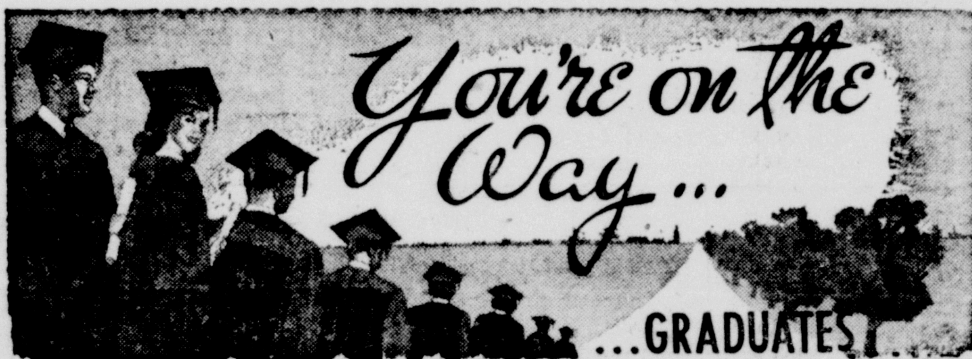


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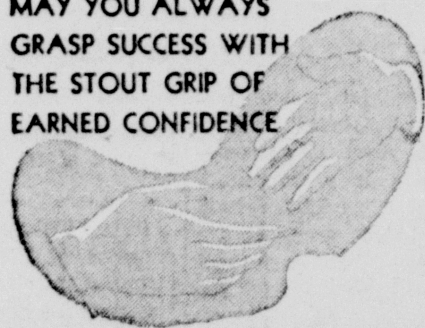
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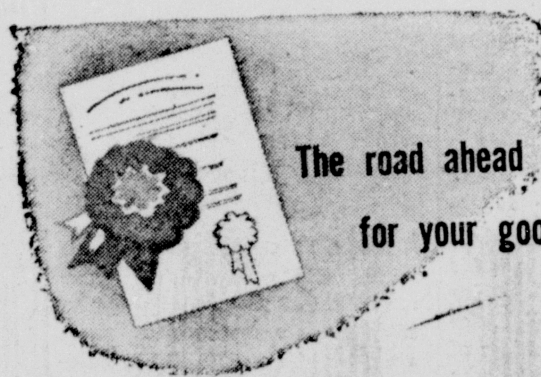
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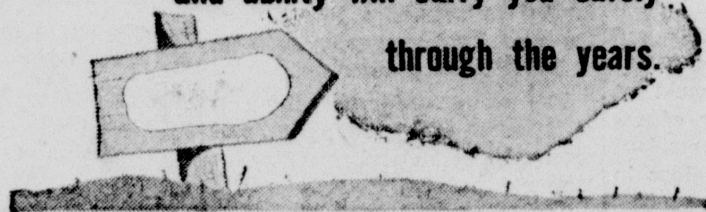
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HHS Library Adds Many New Books In Recent Weeks

Hamlin High School library has purchased eight new books, a new "Who's Who in America," the 1953 World Almanac, and a complete set of The World Book Encyclopedia.

The new books are: "Search-and Rescue at Sea" by John Floherty, "Victory Pass" by Burgess Leonard, "Thunderbird Pass" by A. Dienne Jones, "Son of the Forest" by Arthur Corhart, "Double Date" by Rosamond Du Jardin, "Boy Trouble" by Du Jardin, "Grass Beyond the Mountain" by Richmond Hobson, and "Bold Adventure" by D. V. S. Jackson.

The "Who's Who" is the edition for 1952 and 1953. It is the twenty-seventh volume of this book and it contains information about authors, statesmen and important people in the world.

The set of The World Book Encyclopedia contains 19 volumes. It includes a reader's study guide, telling how to find information contained in the books. These reference books have information about almost any subject you would want to know about.

The library is well equipped with magazines, newspapers and all kinds of reference books. The Fort Worth Star-Telegram and The Abilene Reporter-News are both received daily. In the magazine line, Life, Saturday Evening Post, Science News Letter and Time are all furnished.

May 8 is the last day that books may be checked out, and the library will officially close on May 15. All books must be in by this date, and all fines must be paid before final exams can be taken, according to Principal B. V. Newberry.—The Pied Piper.

The American Cancer Society estimates that about 700,000 Americans are now under treatment for cancer. Support the 1953 ACS crusade by giving a generous donation.

Schedule of Hamlin High School Final Examinations Released by Newberry

Schedule of examinations, final school functions and other particulars during the commencement period at Hamlin High School have been released by Principal B. V. Newberry as follows:

Thursday, May 21—First period, 9:00 to 10:25; third period, 10:30 to 11:55; fifth period, 12:45 to 2:10.

Friday, May 22—Second period, 9:00 to 10:25; fourth period, 10:30 to 11:55; sixth period, 12:45 to 2:10.

Students need not report to school unless they have a test scheduled. Study halls will be provided for those who desire to remain in the building during the examination periods.

Students must remain in the examination room for 40 minutes. A bell will ring for them to be dismissed.

All fees, fines and other obligations that have been made during the year must be paid before students will be allowed to take any of their examinations. A notice will be posted on the bulletin board in the front hall with names of students who owe the above. They must be paid by Tuesday, May 19.

School activities will be limited as far as possible during examination week, and students are urged to limit their activities also.

Students living in town, and those who can come, are to report to school at 10:00 a. m. Saturday, May 23, for their cards. Reports will be mailed to bus students who are unable to come for their cards.

Seniors will follow the above time schedule except they will have first, third and fifth periods exams on Tuesday, May 19, and second, fourth and sixth period exams on Wednesday, May 20.

Seniors will practice for the baccalaureate service Friday, May 15, at 2:45 p. m. Seniors will practice for the commencement program on Thursday morning, May 21, at 9:00 o'clock.

All teachers will report for duty Saturday morning at the regular time to complete cards, perma-

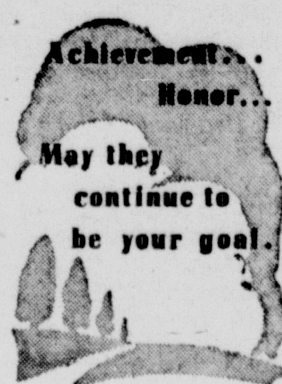
nent records and turn in grade books. They will be dismissed at 10:00 o'clock if their records are clear with the office.

100 Attend Banquet Held by DePriest P-TA

About 100 patrons of DePriest Colored School were present for the annual banquet staged Friday night by the DePriest Parent-Teacher Association.

According to P-TA officials, the banquet was one of the "swankiest affairs held in the colored section in recent year."

Special guests included Mr. and Mrs. B. V. Newberry of Hamlin High School, C. H. Mims of Sweetwater and others.



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Nineteen McCaulley Eighth Graders Get Certificates in Rites

Nineteen eighth graders of McCaulley High School were presented their certificates for completion of junior high school prescribed work Wednesday evening in graduation exercises at the Mason gymnasium-auditorium.

Barbara Waldrop, with a general yearly average grade of 95, is valedictorian for the group, according to Mrs. T. E. Green, who is class sponsor. Hattie Smart, with a grade average of 93, is salutatorian.

Receiving certificates admitting them to high school in the Wednesday evening exercises were Hattie Smart, Annette Cory, Pat Griffin, Anita Allen, Barbara Waldrop, Tressie Taylor, Ann Cook, Nadene McCright, Larry Potts, Marvey Lawlis, David Hennington, Bess Henderson, Carl Smart, Joy Ann Esimenger, George Davis, David Milner, Edna Davis, Bobby Fudge and Jo Ann Penny.

Homemaking II Unit Serve Model Luncheon

Homemaking II foods class at Hamlin High School had a luncheon on Monday, May 4. They served shiskabobs, fruit salad, potato salad, hot rolls and iced tea. It was served in the dining room of the homemaking department.

The meal was a climax to a study of meal preparation and meal service. The girls served the meal buffet style.

Guests for the luncheon were Miss Billie Jo Parrish, Miss Edith Scott and Charlene Smith. Mrs. Camille Simmons is the home economics teacher.

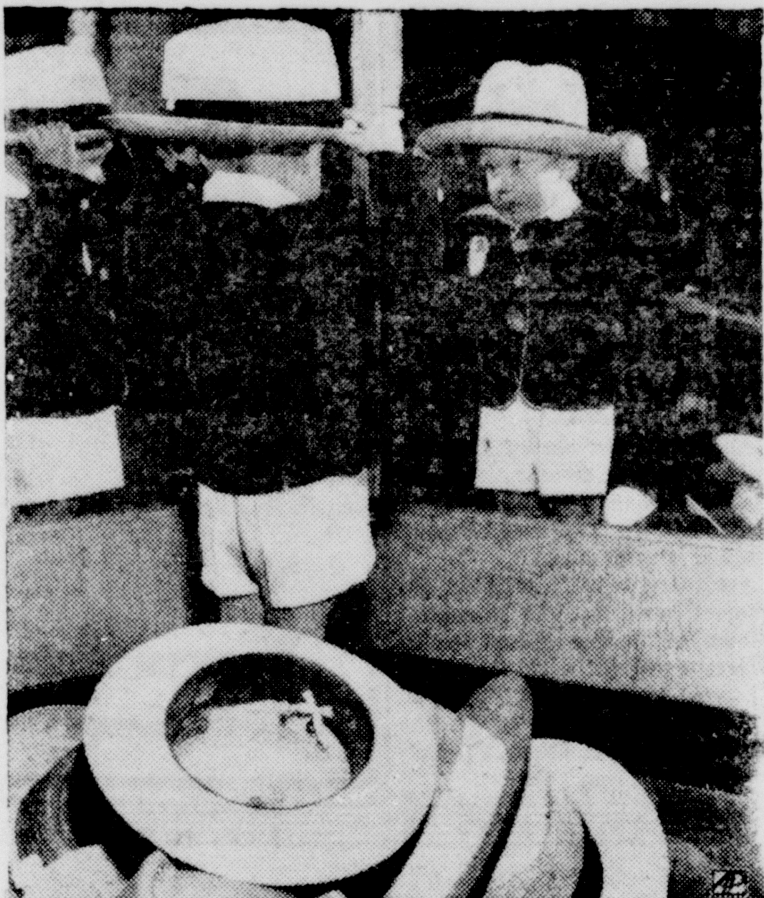
Hamlin Bands Place High in League Tests

Hamlin High School Piper Band and the Junior High School Band went to San Angelo Saturday, May 2, to the regional Interscholastic League band contest. Both bands participated in concert playing and sight reading competition.

The high school band received a first rating in concert playing and sight reading, while the junior high band received a first in concert playing and a second in sight reading.

The bands will give a concert May 12 in the HHS auditorium.

Life can only be understood backwards, but it must be lived forwards.



TOUGH DECISION—With summer and straw hat time drawing near, two-year-old John Rex Reddick of Denison has a tough time picking out just the right style for warm weather. The one he's got on looks like it's more daddy's size, though.

Art Classes Make Four Kinds of Pottery During Past Weeks

Art classes of Hamlin High School have spent about six weeks making pottery. They have made four kinds of pottery: Pinch pots, coil pots, slab pots and core pots.

Methods of decoration used are modeling, carving, glazing and incising designs. They are fired in a kiln, beginning at a low temperature and gradually raising it until it reaches 1900 degrees fahrenheit. The kiln is then turned off and cooled for 24 hours. The pieces of pottery are removed and glazed, then fired again in the same manner. When removed the glaze is a glass-like substance. Colors of the glaze used are yellow, light green, dark green, blue gray, turquoise, peach, and white.

Cost of the pottery, including all processes except the student's labor, is approximately 20 cents for each piece of pottery.

TRAINING 75 DOCTORS.

The American Cancer Society is financing the training of 75 young doctors in diagnosis and treatment of cancer. A contribution to the 1953 ACS crusade will help support this work.

Senior Girls Honored At Luncheon Given By B&PW Club

Senior girls of Hamlin High School were honored at a dinner meeting of the Business and Professional Women's Club Tuesday evening, May 5.

Jere Lynn Burkhardt and Helen Chandler presented a piano-duet, and James Burkhardt played his cornet for the group. Each girl received as a favor a May basket which contained mints.

Mrs. Austin Poe introduced the senior girls: Norma Brown, Kathryn Darden, Marylee Roland, Norma White, Allene Reynolds, Jerry Lee Laverne Higdon, Jo Ann Moyers, Joann Holmes, Ann Watts, Maxine Crawford, Jere Lynn Burkhardt, Naomi Cundieff, Louella Brigham, Ella Mae Turner, Vivian Beck, Billie Williams, Sammie Cavit and Imogene York.

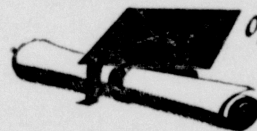
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Five of Eight Graduates at McCaulley High School Will Go on to College

Five of the eight graduates of McCaulley High School plan to go on to college, a survey conducted by The Hamlin Herald indicates. Only three of this group, however, had decided what schools they would enter.

Five of the eight seniors are boys, which reveals that most of the young men of the community realize the necessity of getting an education in order to fit themselves for their life's work.

Future plans of the McCaulley graduates, as well as other information about them, gathered by questionnaires distributed to the seniors by Your Home Town Paper.

DERWIN MABERRY, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Maberry, is a native of the McCaulley community, having arrived on September 21, 1934. He was active in sports events at the school, having lettered for two years in football and volleyball. Derwin plans to go on to college, but has not selected his school.

GERALD WAYNE TABB was born in the Boyd Chapel community, southeast of McCaulley, on December 20, 1934, as the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Tabb. He has been active in all sports at McCaulley High School, and lettered for three years in football and volleyball. Gerald Wayne does not plan to proceed with a college education.

WILMA MILES declares she plans to be a housewife, according to her questionnaire. She was born at Roby on May 18, 1935, as the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Holcomb. There are no plans for a college education in her future.

CALVIN FAUGHT is a Royston community resident, where he was born in 1933 as the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Faught. A stellar performer on the athletic teams at McCaulley High, he lettered for four years in football, basketball, tennis and baseball. Calvin does not plan to get a college education, and has chosen farming as his life's work.

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BONNIE SIPE, youngest member of the MHS graduating class, was born May 20, 1935, at Rotan. Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Sipe of Sylvester community. She was a member of the volleyball and basketball teams, and lettered on these teams for four years. Bonnie plans to go to Draughon's Business College for a business course.

HOWARD KEAN has been an outstanding athlete at McCaulley High School, having lettered four years in football and basketball. He is a native of McCaulley community, having come to live with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Kean on July 10, 1934. Howard has selected farming as his life's vocation. He plans to go to college, but had not decided where.

HENRY CLAY McELYEA JR. is another leading athlete at McCaulley High School, where he lettered for four years in football and volleyball. He was born to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Clay McElyea Sr. on October 29, 1934. Henry plans to go to Texas A. & M. College, where he will major in military training.

CLAUDIE DELL CARPENTER is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Carpenter. She played on the girls' basketball teams during her high school years. She plans to go to Wayland College at Plainview to further her education.

MRS. LUCILLE CARTER has been active in sports at McCaulley High School, where she lettered for three years in basketball. She does not plan to go to college, her questionnaire reveals.

Don Johnson, bringing Jimanna home very late one night, was met by Mrs. Beal at the door:

"What do you mean, bringing my daughter home at 4:00 o'clock in the morning?" she demanded.

"Well, Mrs. Beal," Don answered, "I have to be at work at 7:00."

Staff for Pied Paper For Next School Year Already Named

Hamlin High School's newspaper, The Pied Piper, is announcing the staff for the next school year.

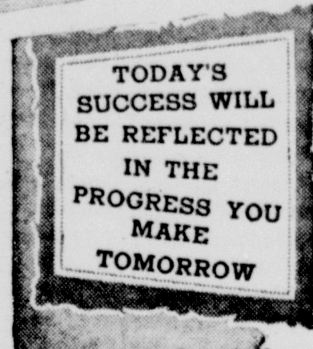
At the head of the helm is Carl Young, editor-in-chief. To make certain the ball keep rolling financially is business manager, Margot Patterson. For the tremendous responsibility of soliciting and arranging the sports section are two sports-minded young men, Kenneth Kelly and Milton Butler. The circulation and exchange editor is Margaret LaBaume.

Assistant editors or junior staff consists of Laveta French, editor; James Boyd, business manager; Tommy Hester, sports; Shirley Nelson, circulation; and Alta Lois Rodgers, exchange.

Reporters, typists and other positions will be filled next year.

A policeman - Billie Williams: "Miss, you were doing 70 miles an hour."

"Oh, isn't that splendid!" Billie exclaimed. "I only learned to drive yesterday."

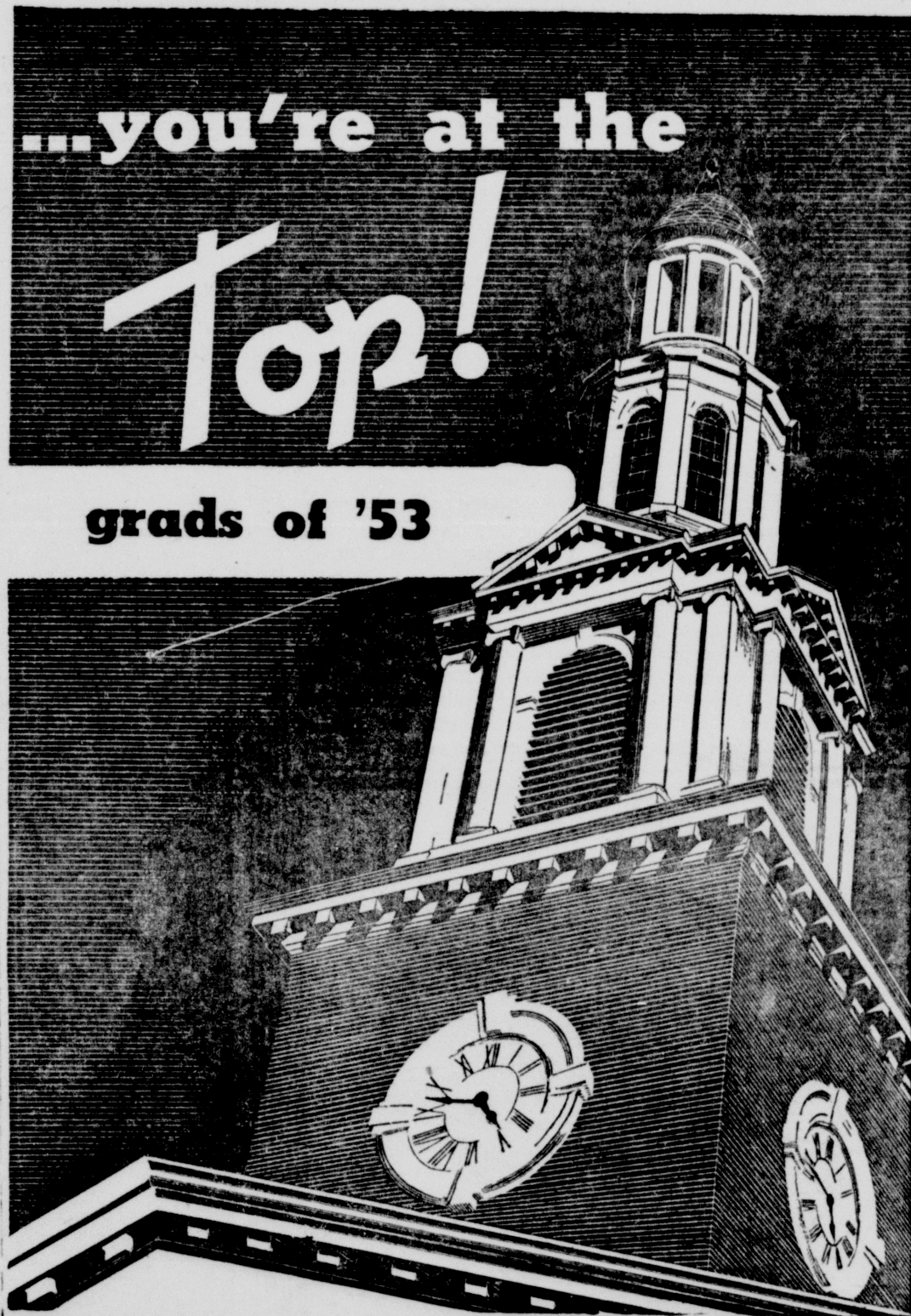


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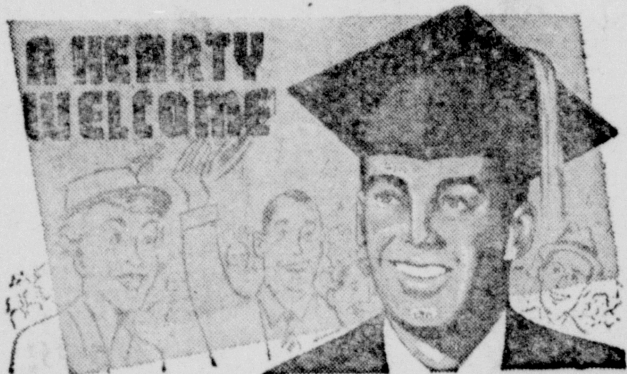
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Musical Organizations Have Busy Year with Programs and Area Contests

Hamlin High School's Glee Club, more currently known as the Green and White Choraliers, is widely traveled. They have sung for the Hamlin Lions Club, and for the high school groups at Stamford and Anson. A much longer trip was taken to Snyder, where they sang for the Lions Club and also the high school.

The Choraliers went to McMurry College in Abilene to a choral contest, where they won third place in concert and second in sight reading on April 17.

The high school band has not traveled as much as the Glee Club. The band has performed in a Christmas concert and marched in a Christmas parade in Hamlin. They gave a concert of popular music at the high school. On May 2 the band went to the band contest at San Angelo and won first in concert playing and first in sight reading.

The Junior High School Band has performed for the Parent-Teacher Association and in assemblies in grade school and high school. They have taken a trip to the Anson Elementary School. They also went to the San Angelo contest, where they won first in concert playing and first in sight reading.

The music department is very fortunate to have representation in the form of special acts. The Junior Girls' Trio, composed of Faith Simpson, Marilyn Fletcher and Janice Agnew, has sung at the junior-senior banquet, and they seem to suddenly be in great demand.

The Senior Boys' Quartet is composed of Don Johnson, bass; Joe Don Hymer, baritone; James Burkhart, second tenor; and Jack Wright, first tenor. They have sung for the Snyder Lions Club, at the junior-senior banquet, the Hamlin Chamber of Commerce banquet, and they have received several invitations to sing elsewhere.

One of the highlights of the Chamber of Commerce banquet was the orchestra that played for the guests' enjoyment during the dinner. These included Vera Tidwell, Faith Simpson, Paige Baize, Marisue Daniel, Kenneth Cary, Walter Chalcraft, James Burk-

hart, Janice Agnew, Bobby Norton, Don Johnson, Jere Lynn Burkhart and Helen Chandler.—The Pied Piper.

Three Represent FHA At State Convention

Each year the Future Homemakers of America chapter elects two representatives to represent the Hamlin group at the State FHA convention.

This year the state convention was held at San Antonio, and Hamlin was represented by Jeanette Adams, Mary Willingham and Miss Edith Scott, advisor. Date of the meeting was April 30 thru May May 2, and the theme used during the entire convention was "Preserving Our American Heritage."

Among the outstanding activities at the convention was a supper with a Mardi Gras theme and the installation of the 1953-54 state FHA officers.—The Pied Piper.

Annual Staff for Next Year Selected

Members of the annual staff for the 1953-54 term at Hamlin High School have been selected. The Piper staff members are: Mary Willingham, editor; Judy Brannon, assistant editor; Carl Young, business manager; Billy Kelly, assistant business manager; Holly Toler, sports editor; Margaret LaBaume, art editor; Janice Agnew, senior editor; Justin Rowland, junior editor; Dennis Johnson, sophomore editor; freshman editor to be selected.

The Piper staff had a very successful year the past school term, and each member expresses a desire for a better one next year.

PROOF OF GOOD JOB.

When the troops set up shop in Korea, an artillery officer was surprised to see his men climbing trees and crawling through bushes. "What's the idea?" he roared. "Well, sir," said the sergeant, "we've camouflaged the gun so well that we can't find it."

Officers for Hamlin High School Student Council Nominated

By now everyone knows who the new officers of the Student Council for the school year 1953-54 are. The students are nominated by petitions, and then they are voted on by members of the student body. Students nominated for the officers on the council are to have been members of the Student Council for at least one year. Candidates for president and vice president are required to be juniors or seniors.

Those nominated for the officers are: Don Crowley, president; Atha Lea Grice, vice president; Janice Agnew, secretary; and Milton Butler, reporter.

The Student Council sponsored "Twirp Week-End" the week of May 3-5.—The Pied Piper.

HANDWRITING EXPERT.

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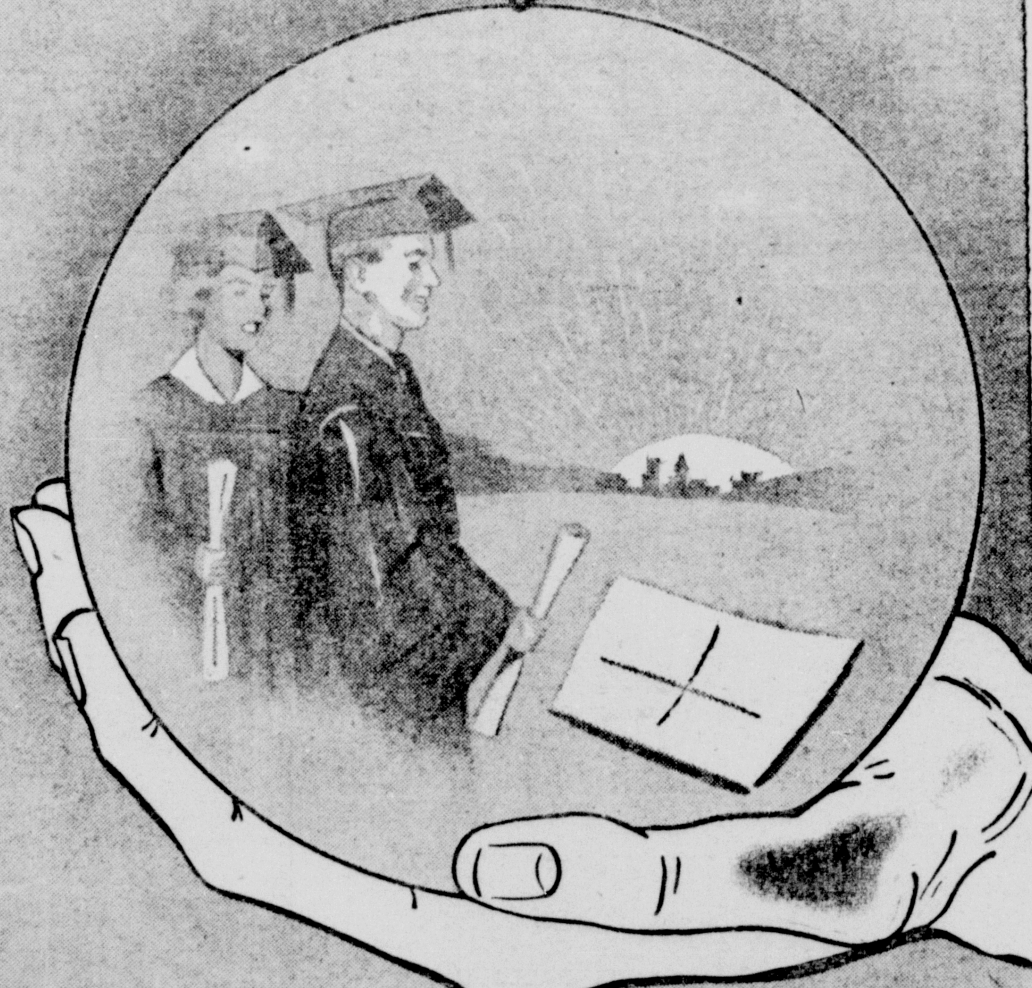
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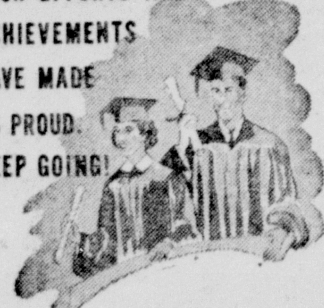
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The following column of comments by Joe Don Hymer was part of the material crowded out of the final issue of The Pied Piper, Hamlin High School newspaper:

Well, a dead bunch of seniors rolled in the other night. Mr. Newberry, still wet from his ducking in the pool, was the first one off the bus. Ann Watts did not act her best that night on the bus. Mr. Newberry had to scream for help twice (when he screams for help it's bad). Don't anyone tell Tobye about Duck and Maxine.

Robert Fletcher spent most of his time in the swimming pool as did Speedy. No one saw much of Joe Ray and Marylee on the trip, but someone was always looking for them.

The first night we were all entertained by the boy's quartet and some red headed tap dancer. Everyone was polite and threw him pennies. Duck Weaver, famous horseman, was the only one thrown by the horses. James left his finger prints on the saddle horn when his horse ran away with him.

Something that surprised me was the way Nona and J. R. acted. They were hardly seen together. Old Jerry Glen sat around looking moon-eyed over Jonelle most of the time. I spent most of my time taking care of the sponsors, but someone had to.

Jack Wright (boy mechanical genius) was believed to be dead for sometime on the bus; however, Norma aroused him. Robert and Imogene hit it off nicely.

Well, it's nearly time for us to graduate. From the looks of things I will be writing the (censored) smoke rings next year (along with Rob, Speedy and Ekie.)

Say, Mr. Chalcraft, what was that book you were reading on the



PRINCIPAL B. V. NEWBERRY of Hamlin High School (above) is business administrator for the three cafeterias operated by Hamlin schools. He is shown checking supplies in the stock room at the high school recently. The cafeterias have paid their way with nominally priced meals that have been served daily to several hundred students.

NEWS FLASHES FROM G. W.

Clark Hewitt, why are you so mean to Ken? Let him have the car some time.

Too bad about Joyce Cooper's being sick. Walter Willis has been a faithful hospital visitor.

Don Johnson, Marylee and Joe Ray R. really go for music—in fact, they go to Abilene.

Shirley Nelson has a fascinating new boy friend.

Faith Simpson is being rushed by a cute Roby boy, Franklin Shreves.

Verbon Wilson has a cute girl friend, Betty Austin.

Atha Lea Grice is dating Roby boys, or is it one certain one, Scotter Stewart?

Nona White and J. R. Rhoton are sorta fueding.

Della Terrell is dating Kenneth Helms, Marylee's ex-Tiger friend. Della and Janice both went to Austin for the track meet. Did they go together?

New romance: Louella Brigham and Larry Ikeler?

Sammie Cavitt and Speedy Barnett had fun together on the senior trip.

Ella Mae and Robert Fletcher are a twosome.

Vivian Beck is interested in ko-

band bus Saturday? Coach Nunley took it away, didn't he? By the way, the band will give its annual spring jazz concert soon.

As this is the last issue of the Smoke Rings, I would like to thank all of my faithful readers (mother and father) for their kind patronage. Also on behalf of the seniors of 1953, I would like to thank our room mothers and sponsors who made our senior trip perfect.—Your Old Pal, Smokey.

Hamlin Honor Society Goes to River on Picnic

Eleven members of the National Honor Society at Hamlin High School composed the group who attended a picnic at the Double Mountain Fork River bridge north of town last Thursday afternoon.

Accompanying the group was their sponsor, Miss Billie Jo Parrish. Menu for the picnic was hot dogs, potato salad, pickles and soft drinks. The good food and a good time was enjoyed by all.

Those attending were: Don Johnson, Allene Reynolds, Nona White, Maxine Crawford, Marvin Johnson, Joe Ray Rosenbaum, Don Crowley, Doyle Brinegar, Margot Patterson, Ann Holt, Carl Young and Miss Parrish.

Cancer kills more children from three to 15 years of age than does any other disease, American Cancer Society statistics show.

dak pictures—pictures on senior trips.

Ask Anthony Lakey who Faith Ann Wise is. Does Naomi know? Say, we thought you'd be sad. Jimmy Ray—but your recovery was fast. Ava D. Beatty is a cute date, isn't she?

Laverne Meeks might look at Larry Ikeler—if he'd look back.

Betty Cranford and Melvin Hames talk over the phone often. Pete Cowan goes to Anson. But Margot Faye would go with Pete. Herman Williams dates in Syl-vester.

Kenneth Cary said, "I reckon" when asked if he and Mary Sue Warnell were going steady.

Needed: Enough energy to get the seniors to May 21.

To the juniors: Dig in, people; the storm hits next year!—The Pied Piper.

50 Boys Report for Spring Grid Work At Hamlin High

Spring football practice for boys of Hamlin High School, under the supervision of Coaches T. V. Townsend, Elvin Hill and John Taylor, was climaxed Friday, May 8. Despite the hazards of heat, dust storms and stickers, the team made a fairly good showing. They have come to understand the new system employed this spring. From approximately 50 boys who came out there were seven returning lettermen and 10 returning squadmen.

Outstanding linemen were Joe E. Brown, James Jay, Ramond Boyd and Kenneth Rowland, ends; Don Crowley, Carl Young, Benny Watson and Clifford Eoff, tackles; Robert Bowen, Don Brown, Hoyle Brown and Don Johnson, guards; Dwain Rogers, Tommy Hester and Lane Fletcher, center.

In the backfield were: W. H. Hallmark and Justin Rowland at quarterback; James Boyd, Bobby Green and Jackie Drummond at fullback; Jimmy Ray and Doug Ford at tailback; and Kenneth Kelly and W. H. Hallmark as wingback.—The Pied Piper.

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Earl E. Gardner Is Lone Senior Graduate At DePriest School

Although there will be only one senior graduating at DePriest Colored School this year at Hamlin, the whole community is proud of the senior class, and no less honor will be accorded the class than if there were several members to receive diplomas.

Earl E. Gardner, the son of James and Mary Gardner, was born at Aspermont on June 16, 1934. Active in all sports, Earl was one of the stellar performers on the basketball court at DePriest during his high school days. His favorite hobby is drawing, he declares on his questionnaire submitted by The Herald.

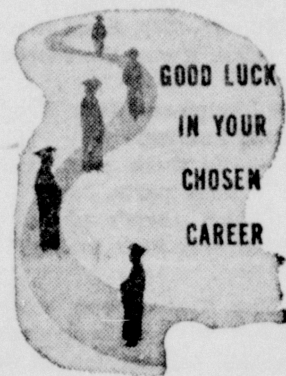
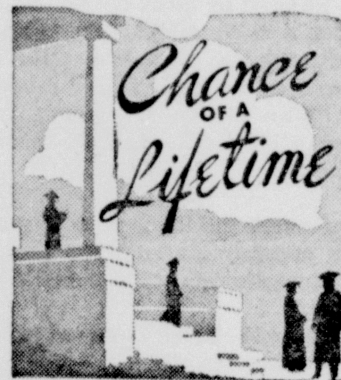
Young Gardner plans to continue his education by going to Prairie View State University near Hempstead, where he will major in history. He plans to make teaching his profession.

REALLY IN THE GUTTER.

Ike—"Did you get home all right from the party last night?"

Mike—"No trouble at all, except that just as I was turning into my street, some fool stepped on my fingers."

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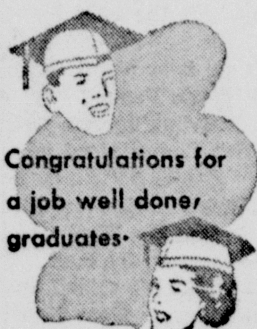
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(Being a column taken from the Pied Piper, Hamlin High School Newspaper).

"Mr. White—er—that is—can—er—will, will you?"

"Why, yes, J. R., you may have her. I know you'll be good to her."

"How's that? Have whom?" J. R. asked.

"Why, Nona, of course. You want to marry her, don't you?"

"No, sir, I just wanted to know if you would loan me \$100."

"Certainly not! Why, young man, I hardly know you."

Jere Lynn—"I'm sorry, dear, but dinner is a little burnt tonight."

James—"What? Did they have a fire at the delicatessen today?"

Laverne Higdon was at a party one night when someone (Kevon) sneaked up behind her, covered her eyes with his hands and whispered: "I'm going to kiss you if you can't tell who this is in three guesses."

Laverne quickly whispered back: "George Washington, Thomas Jefferson, Abraham Lincoln."

Anthony and Naomi were overheard in the drive-in. The conversation went like this:

"They say," Anthony began hesitatingly, "that kisses are the language of love."

"Well," said Naomi, "speak for yourself, Anthony."

Mrs Ellison (Concerned)—"Velma your date brought you home?"

Velma—"Yes, it was late mama. Did the noise disturb you?"

Mrs. Ellison—"No, dear, it was not the noise; it was the silence."

Robert Rhoton and Jack Wright were rabbit hunting.

Robert—"Is there much good hunting in these parts, Jack?"

Jack—"Sure, there's plenty of hunting but very little finding."

Ella Mae Turner and Vivian Beck aren't too well acquainted with baseball. Arriving late at the first game of the season, the conversation went something like this:

Ella Mae—"What is the score, Vivian?"

Vivian—"Nothing to nothing."

Ella Mae—"Oh, goody, we haven't missed a thing."

Dorothy Lujan (to unwanted boy friend)—"I think a double wedding would be nice. You marry someone else and so will I."

"Daughter," worried Mr. Moyer to Jo Ann, "that young man I saw you walking in the park with strikes me as being very unpelish-ed."

"Yes," Jo Ann answered, "he is a little rough around the hedges."

"Did you ever do any public speaking, Ekie?" Speedy asked. "Well," replied Don Kelly, "I proposed to a girl in the country over a party line once."

Clark Hewett felt his long career as a football star was over last week when a young fish-to-be approached him and asked: "Weren't you Clark Hewett?"

Joe Ray Rosenbaum can be very romantic at times. For instance, while visiting on the coast, he and Marylee were sitting arm in arm beside the seashore.

"Roll on, thou deep and dark blue ocean, roll!"

Marylee gazed at the ocean for a moment, then, in hushed tones, gasped, "Oh, you're wonderful! It's doing it!"

Maxine Crawford kept turning the pages of a dictionary until finally Mrs. Toler asked what word she was trying to find.

"Bankruptcy," said Maxine.

Mrs. Toler—"Well, why are you looking way back there?"

Maxine retorted, "I know how to spell bank, and now I'm looking for 'ruptcy!'"

When Larry Ikeler received his draft call he claimed exemption on the grounds of poor eyesight—and brought his girl along to prove the point.

Stopped by a cop for driving too fast, Ann Watts didn't try to argue with the law. But Joanne Holmes piped up helpfully in her defense: "Why, officer, she wasn't driving a bit faster than she always does!"

Sammie Cavitt went in to make an appointment with the dentist.

Receptionist—"He's out just now."

Sammie—"Thank you, when will he be out again?"

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A Communist, being deported, was in cabin 350 on a ship. A death occurred in cabin 250, and a detail of seaman was ordered to bury the corpse at sea.

After the ceremonies, it was discovered that the corpse was still in room 250. With some alarm, the captain investigated and found that the detail had gone to room 350 by mistake.

"That was the Communist. Why, he was alive."

"That's what he tried to tell us, but but you know those Communists; you can't believe a word they say!"

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Address—Dr. James B. Boren.

Presentation of Diplomas and Awards.

Presentation of Senior Class Gift—Clark Hewett, class president.

Farewell — Maxine Crawford, valedictorian.

Benediction—Rev. J. S. Shepard, pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church.

This I Heard . . .

The following "gossip" column is part of the material that was crowded out of the final issue of The Pied Piper, Hamlin High School newspaper:

Marylee Roland and Joe Ray Rosenbaum are "steady teddies" now. Also, Anthony Lakey and Naomi Cundieff.

A new couple—Jack Wright and Norma Brown.

Jonelle Maberry and Glenn Smith are going steady now. Did all you kids see the ring in his nose?

Reba Roland and "Thorber" have up quite a case. Who is this "Thorber" anyway?

Why is Bobby Beale always trying to get a date? New flame??

Why does Dennis Johnson stay at Norton's house most of his spare time? Bobby isn't the only Norton is he?

What's this we hear about John Brinegar and Shasta Payne?

Why does Melvin Haymes not walk home with Louise Herd any more?

Why did Jack's and Norma's faces turn red when Mr. Newberry said "hello" to them on the bus?

Who was Ann Watt's friend on the bus coming home from New Braunfels?

"Need any help?" Reply, "No help wanted."

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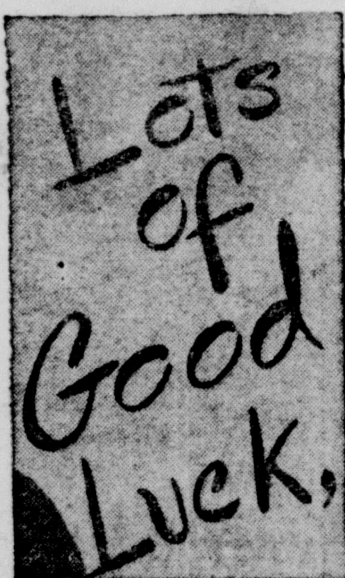
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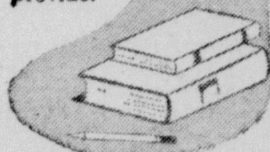
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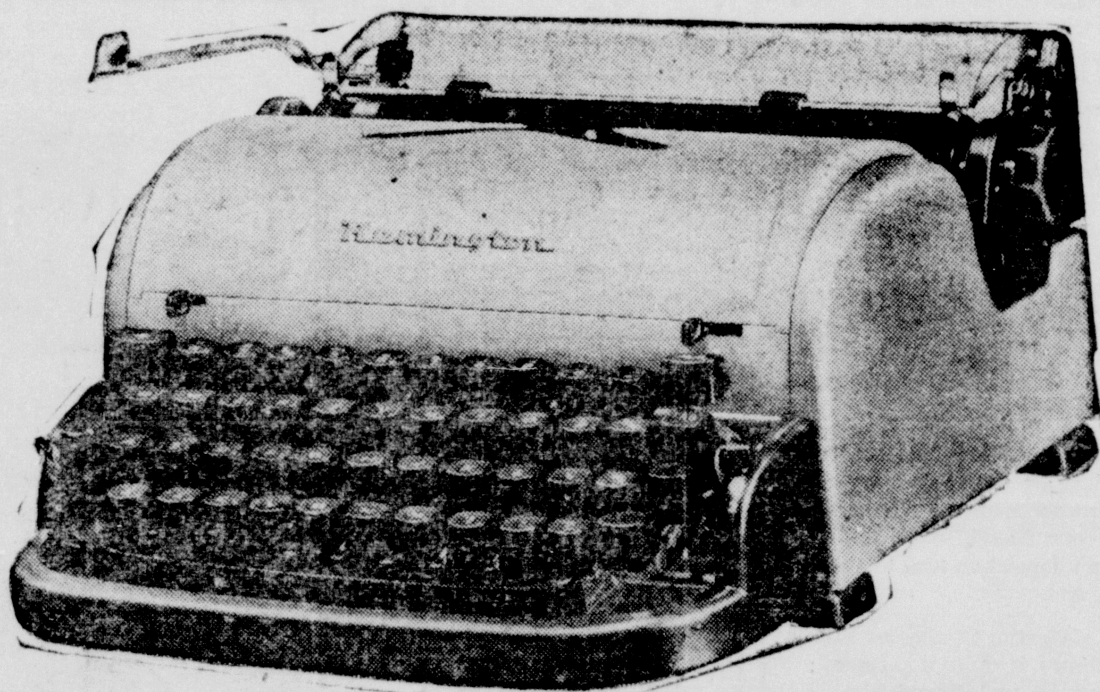


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NEWS FROM 6-A

There are four romances brewing in 6-A: Lance Carmichael and Judy Parker; Bryan Shelburne and Molly Jones; Kay Shelburne and Mark Fletcher; Jerry Carlton and Libby Johnson.

Red Fowler scared everybody in 6-A by bringing Mrs. Newman a new paddle.

By the way, Lance, what happened to that kitty cat you found at the lake?

GOINGS-ON IN 6-B.

Found—A new love between Patricia and Gene. Don't know how long it will last.

Too many girls with short hair: Ginger, Jackie, Patricia and Lupe.

A new boy who was once here: Jimmy Wilkerson.

The cute girl for the month is Judy Teichelman. She likes to eat chicken. For her boy friend she takes Boyce Blankenship. She can dance almost anything. Her friends are Peggy, Joyce, Judy Parker and Gloria.

The best news of the week: School will soon be out.

WHAT'S DOING IN 6-C.

Roy Williams is the 6-C favorite sport is football, and is also a good boy this month. His favorite boxer. He weighs 98½ pounds and he has brown hair. He likes chocolate pie best, and his girl friend is Mary Lou Ellison. His favorite subject is arithmetic.

7-A HAPPENINGS.

Bill Murff is our personality for 7-A. He is five feet three inches tall and weighs 112 pounds. His favorite food is banana pudding. He likes all sports. He starts in football especially. His favorite teacher is Coach Taylor, and he has no special girl friend at the present.

Who is that cute girl Joe Stephens likes? Maybe she is Donna Kidd.

What is going on between Jimmy Maxwell and Sara Fomby? Could it be love?

Who does Richie Smith like? Maybe it is Bette Teague.

WHAT'S NEW IN 7-B.

The teacher looked delighted when one of her pupils got up and said, "The title of my composition

is 'More Pay for Teachers'!"

Bill—"Since when did you stop singing in the choir?"

Charles—"Since the Sunday I was absent and everyone thought the organ had been tuned."

Myrna and Shirdella were discussing their families. "Why does your grandmother read the Bible so much?" asked Myrna.

Replied Shirdella, "I think she is cramming for her exams."

REPORTS FROM 8-A.

Personality for 8-A this time is that blond, five-foot five-inch brown-eyed Jerry LaBaume. His favorite food is red beans. His favorite sport is baseball. And to mention school, spelling is his most enjoyable subject. When you see Jerry in the halls, his best pal, Joe Pat Riley, is always at his side. Jerry doesn't have a favorite girl or teacher.

Assembly program for Wednesday, May 6, was presented by 8-A. The program consisted of a poem by Mary Ann Wilbanks; a duet by Vermelle Johnson and Annette Fletcher. Then a short play, "Strictly for Relatives," was presented, in which the characters were Janis Crowley, Georgia McDonnell, Annette Fletcher, Gene Steele, Ginger Means, Allan Leonard and Herring Dennis. The announcer was Jerry Fred Jay.

TEACHERS OF 8-C.

Our English teacher Miss Vaughan Of her class is very fond;

In three more weeks she'll lose her mean pets—

A teacher we are leaving with regrets.

Mr. Taylor, our science teacher, Seems to be our favorite feature; On his paddle you can depend To make each one his own business tend.

Our math teacher, Mr. Black, His duty he never slacks; He's more than our teacher—he's our friend,

We can depend on him to the very end.

Mr. Lyles, who teaches us history, Sometimes is quite a mystery; But we all understand him, To us he is a gleaming gem.

Art is taught by Mrs. Griggs, For her our class really digs; With us she rings the bell, Because we think she is really swell.

TIDINGS FROM 8-C.

Seen in the halls: Three poor lil ole girls getting a lecture; Douglas Ford's new burr; Elizabeth Norton back after being in the hospital; everybody counting days until school will be out.

COTTON QUIZ



Scandal: What is happening between Mary Jo Wilbanks and Joe Pat Riley? Did you know that Douglas Miller hit a homer in baseball? Who did Allan call for in 8-C? The two C's are romancing again—Cel Albritton and Corky Bond. What happened in the work-outs, Don Eddie Adair? What kind of club was Vermelle Johnson initiated into?

Missed very badly: Skipper Smith.

Lost: A lady teacher's temper. If found, please do not return.

Personality: Stepping up to bat the ball of personality this week is Annette Smith. She stands five feet six inches, and has brown hair and eyes. Her favorite teacher is, naturally, Coach Taylor, and her favorite food is chicken. She's the gal around school that is really tickin'!



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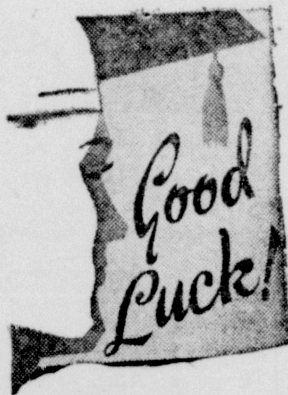
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Volleyball Closes And Spring Cage Practice Starts

Volleyball season has just closed for members of the girls' volleyball team at Hamlin High School. The following girls have played during the past season: Clarice Brown, Carolyn Decker, Bunny Glenn, Kay Holder, Helen Johnson, Shasta Payne, Pat Stuart and Melba Ueckert. The Hamlin Pipers lost to Roby in the first round of the district play-offs. The two games ended with scores of 5 to 15 and 9 to 15. Roby won district and regional.

Basketball spring training began Monday, May 4, for the Pipers. The girls reporting to practice were Ava Beatty, Joye Biggam, Clarice Brown, Pat Fleckenstein, Carolyn Decker, Atha Lea Grice, Norma Garrett, June Hill, Bunny Glenn, Kay Holder, Helen Johnson, Evelyn Kidwell, Shasta Payne, Pat Stuart, Melba Ueckert, Murdis Williams and Mary Willingham. According to Miss Dora Mitchell, coach, three more girls are expected later to make a total of 20 girls. The other three are Jonelle Maberry, Martha Hubbard and Gloria Hulsey. These girls will gain basketball experience, which should prove valuable during the next basketball season.

—The Pied Piper.

DePriest Graduation Exercises Set Thursday

Combination graduation exercises for the two classes at DePriest Colored School will be conducted in the DePriest auditorium next Thursday evening, May 21, beginning at 8:00 o'clock.

There are 13 graduates for the school, one senior and 12 eighth graders, announces E. S. Morgan, principal.

A program of special music and talks will precede the presentation of the diplomas and certificates to the graduates.



GET DIPLOMAS THURSDAY—The nine young people above were members of the graduating class at McCaulley High School for 1953 who received diplomas Thursday evening in closing exercises. They are: Top row (left to right): Lucille Smart Carter, Claudie Carpenter and Bonnie Sipe; second row: John Calvin Faught, Wilma Long Miles and Henry McElyea; third row: Gerald Wayne Tabb, Derwin Maberry and Howard Kean.

Junior Homemaking Students Fete Seniors

Junior students in the homemaking III class at Hamlin High School entertained the senior students at a buffet luncheon on Thursday, April 30.

The luncheon was a part of a recent study on etiquet at teas, parties, dinners and luncheons.

Hostesses at the luncheon were Quata Miller, Jonelle Maberry, Carol Ulmer, Peggy Jenkins, Atha Lea Grice, Margot Patterson, Mary Willingham, Janice Agnew,

KNEW HER ZOOLOGY.

The husband and wife were in the midst of a violent quarrel, and hubby was losing his temper.

"Be careful," he said to his wife, "you'll bring out the beast in me."

"So what!" the spouse replied. "Who's afraid of mice?"

Janet Higdon, Laverne Meeks and Mrs. Camille Simmons, advisor. Guests were: Jo Ann Moyer, Joann Holmes, Maxine Crawford, Allene Reynolds, Norma Brown, Dorothy Lujan, Katherine Darden and Miss Dora Mitchell.

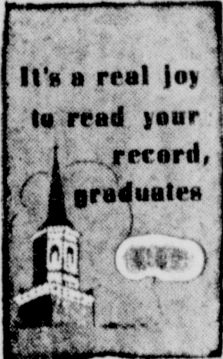
This Year Hamlin High School Annual Declared Prettiest in School's History

Months of work by members of the staff of The Piper, Hamlin High School's annual, was climaxed with the recent release of the yearbook. It was declared to be the prettiest yet issued by the school.

Bound in a newly-designed white leatherette padded cover printed with green ink (the school's colors), the 126-page yearbook was the source of "ohs and ahs" from students and faculty members alike. Done in offset by a San Angelo firm, the inside is profuse with pictures of campus and off-campus activities, as well as class pictures in the various sections.

Revelation of four student favorites was the chief interest to the students as they thumbed through the new annual. Maxine Crawford was named Piper Queen and Peggy Briscoe as School Queen to top the secretly-named favorites. Atha Lea Grice and Clark Hewett were named most representative girl and boy of Hamlin High School. Special pages were devoted to these favorites, as well as to other student favorites that had previously been announced. Nona White was football sweetheart, and Marvin Johnson was football hero, having been named by the students last fall. Janice Agnew had been named band sweetheart.

Other students given special recognition in the annual were: Mary Willingham, FFA Sweetheart; Guy Weaver, FHA Beau; Maxine Crawford and Don Johnson, outstanding citizens; Marylee Roland and Joe Don Hymer, senior favorites; Marisue Daniel and Dwain Rogers, junior favorites; Peggy Briscoe and John Cundieff, sophomore favorites; Clarice Brown and Joe E. Brown, freshman favorites.



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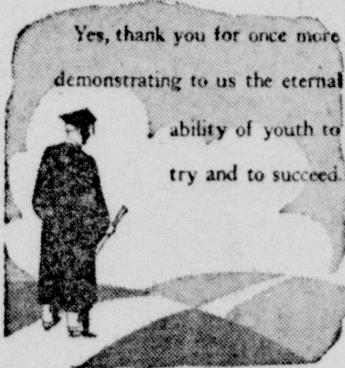
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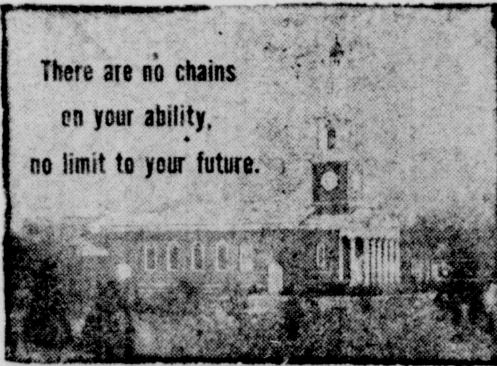
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Over Half of Hamlin Seniors Will Go to College; Other Plans Given

Students Indicate Life Plans in Answer To Questionnaire

Twenty of the 38 members of the 1953 senior class of Hamlin High School plan to enter college after they shall have completed their high school work next week. Several others probably will go to college or university, as a number of the graduates answered a questionnaire submitted by The Herald concerning college and other plans with "maybe" or "undecided."

Besides those planning to go to academic or technical college, several members of the group also will go to business college or take special courses in nurse's training or beauty culture, the questionnaires revealed.

However, Uncle Sam's plans for a number of the older boys in the senior class may alter some of the higher education plans. Military service is staring three or four of the boys in the face. Probably two or three of them will not wait for their uncle to call them, but will volunteer for service.

Eight of the seniors indicated they would go to Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene, while five plan to attend Texas Technological College at Lubbock. Other schools named by the graduates as their preference for higher education were Texas A. & M. College, Texas State College for Women at Denton, McMurry College at Abilene and Tarleton Agricultural College at Stephenville.

Future plans and other information about the graduates follow:

DON KELLY was born at Anson on July 21, 1935, the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Kelly. He has been active in all sports at high school, having lettered for two years in track, football and basketball. He also is a golf enthusiast, listing this sport as his fa-

vorite hobby. Don was a member of the H Club at Hamlin High School. He is undecided about his plans for college.

KENNETH BARNETT is a native of Hamlin, having discovered America on January 18, 1935, as the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Barnett. Kenneth has been a key figure in sports at Hamlin High School, having lettered for two years in football, basketball and track. He lists golf as his favorite hobby.

ROBERT FLETCHER has made one of the school's most outstanding records in the athletic department during his high school career. He has lettered for four years in football, basketball and track. He was born June 4, 1935, in Hamlin as the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Fletcher. Robert plans to attend Texas Tech College at Lubbock, where he will major in business administration or commercial art. He is undecided about his vocation in life.

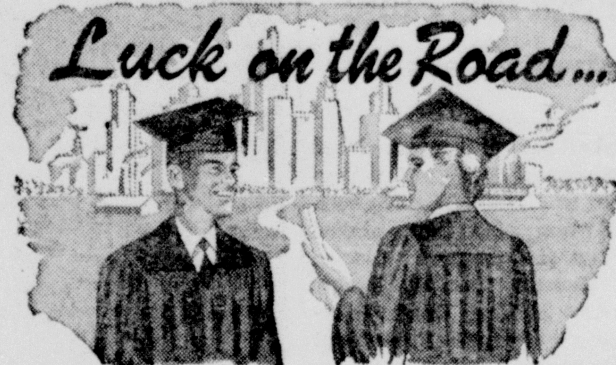
KEVON ROGERS declares his favorite hobby is collecting old rocks, and it is reported he has quite a collection on hand. He was born near Hamlin on October

11, 1935, as the son of Mr. and Mrs. Elman D. Rogers. Kevon lettered for two years in football and tennis at Hamlin High School. He plans to take an engineering course at Texas Tech College in preparation for a career as some kind of engineer.

VIVIAN BECK is the daughter of W. B. and Willie Mae Beck, having been born at Edgewood on June 14, 1936. She has been an ardent sports enthusiast during her high school days, and participated in basketball and volleyball activities. Vivian lists "collecting things from all the places I go" as her favorite hobby. She does not plan to go to college.

JAMES BURKHART plans to engage in some form of the oil business as a life's vocation, and will attend Texas A. & M. College in preparation for this career, where he will major in petroleum engineering. James was born at Big Spring on March 27, 1935, as the son of Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Burkhart. He was a stand-out in athletics at Hamlin High School and lettered one year in football

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and basketball and two years in track. He was a member of the Choraliers, high school glee club. Motor boating and fishing are listed by James as his favorite hobbies.

MARVIN JOHNSON, the son of Manney and Claire Johnson, was born in Hamlin June 24, 1935. He lettered one year in football and basketball. He was a member of the National Honor Society, the Future Farmers of America, and was editor of The Pied Piper, school newspaper. He lists photography as his favorite hobby. He plans to take a mechanical engineering course at Texas Tech in preparation for a career as an engineer.

KATHRYN RITCHEY DARDEN is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Ritchey, having arrived at Breckenridge on September 14, 1935. Kathryn, who became a Mrs. during her high school days, plans to get down to homemaking in earnest when she graduates, and has no plans for going to higher places of learning. She was a member of the Future Homemakers of America. Sewing is given as her favorite hobby.

JACK WRIGHT is a radio enthusiast, so lists radio experimentation as his favorite hobby. He declares he will take an electronics course at Texas Tech College if and when he can go to college. Jack has been a member of the senior boys' male quartet. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wright Sr., and was born on March 27, 1935, at Lueders.

MARYLEE ROLAND was born at Port Arthur on September 1, 1934, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Roland. She has been a member of the FHA chapter and the Pep Squad. Swimming is listed as her favorite hobby. Marylee plans to go to college at Texas State College for Women at Denton.

NONA WHITE is a native of Hamlin, having been born June 5, 1935, to Mr. and Mrs. D. M. White. She plans a career as a secretary, and will go to Draughon's Business College for her secretarial administration training. She was a member of the National Honor Society, the FHA and the Pep Squad. Reading is given as her favorite hobby.

ALLENE REYNOLDS was born December 16, 1935, in Hamlin as the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Reynolds. She has been a key figure on the girls' basketball team. She is a member of the Future Homemakers, the National



MUD CAT—This whopper fish—it weighs three ounces—makes its captor pretty proud. Billy Wayne Jarmon caught the catfish in a pool near Archer City, and as far as Billy is concerned it might as well have weighed three pounds. How'd he pull him in? "Kotched him on wums," says Billy.

Honor Society, the Student Council and the Pep Squad. Reading is listed by Allene as her favorite hobby. She plans to go to Texas Tech College or Draughon's Business College for a secretarial administration course as a basis for a career as secretary or housewife.

JERRY LEE, who is having it written Genarah Ruth Lee on her diploma, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lee. She was born in Hamlin October 28, 1934. During her high school days she has been a member of the FHA and the Pep Squad. Jerry is undecided about going to college, and did not name her life's work. She says reading is her favorite hobby.

JO ANN MOYERS is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Moyers, having been born at Longview on September 1, 1935. She lists music as her favorite hobby. She was a member of the FHA, the high school band, and Choraliers high school glee club. She is undecided about going to college, and will probably work, she says.

JO ANN HOLMES was born at Aspermont on July 8, 1935, as the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Holmes. She plans to go to the Shannon School of Nursing at San Angelo in preparation for a career

as a registered nurse. During her high school days she was a member of the Pep Squad and the FHA chapter.

DOROTHY LUJAN says dancing is her favorite hobby. She was born at Hamlin on October 3, 1934, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Lujan. She was a member of the Future Homemakers of America, and the Pep Squad, for which she was the manager. After graduation from HHS she plans to go to the Scoggins Beauty Academy at Abilene to prepare for a career as a beauty operator.

RUTHIE LAVERNE HIGDON, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Higdon, was born July 19, 1934, at McCaulley. She has had as a hobby hair styling, and will further her knowledge of the art by taking a course at Scoggins Beauty Academy at Abilene in preparation for a career as a beauty operator. Laverne has been a member of the Pep Squad and the FHA chapter. She played volleyball and tennis for two years.

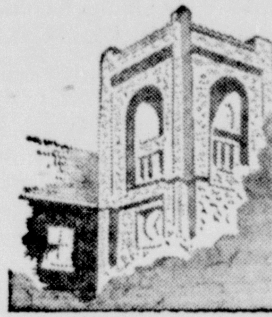
JOE RAY ROSENBAUM says he is an outdoors man, and lists hunting as his favorite hobby. He was born south of Hamlin on November 17, 1934, as the son of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Rosenbaum. He has been a member of the Future Farmers of America, the Student Council and the National Honor Society. Joe Ray plans a career as a banker, and will go to Hardin Simmons University at Abilene for a business administration course.

ROBERT RHOTON JR. is a native of Hamlin, having arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rhoton Sr. on November 3, 1935. He says he might be classed as a tinkerer, and lists working on automobiles as his favorite hobby. He plans to go to Tarleton State College at Stephenville for a mechanical course in preparation for an automobile mechanic career. During high school Robert was a member of the Future Farmers of America chapter.

GUY WEAVER has been known to most of his school friends as "Duck." He was born south of Hamlin, to Mr. and Mrs. Noel (all known as Duck) Weaver on October 6, 1934. He earned letters for two years in track and football. He has been an active member of the FFA chapter. He plans to go to Texas Tech College at Lubbock for a course in agriculture, and says he will farm to teach vocational agriculture for a life's work.

NORMA BROWN comes from Arkansas, where she was born to W. N. and Bertie Mae Brown on June 14, 1935. She was manager of the Pep Squad one year during her high school work. Norma says

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she may go to college later but has not decided where.

DON JOHNSON is another high school graduate who has his eye on a banking career, and in preparation for this profession he plans to go to Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene for a business administration course. His favorite hobby is singing. He was born in Abilene on July 20, 1935. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Johnson. He was a member of the Piper Band, the Choraliers, and the Student Council, and was on the staff of The Piper, annual publication of HHS.

J. R. RHOTON is a native of this section, having arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Rhoton on Christmas Day, 1933. He has been a member of the Future Farmers of America chapter. J. R. has not decided about going to college, as Uncle Sam says he has a few little plans in mind for him in the immediate future.

BILLIE PUTNAM WILLIAMS is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Putnam, having been born at Hamlin on April 7, 1935. She plans to really go to housekeeping for her new hubby as soon as school is out. Her favorite hobby is listed as collecting pepper and salt shakers—and you ought to see her assembly so far, declare her friends.

SAMMIE RUTH CAVITT is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Cavitt, and she names Stamford as her birthplace on January 20, 1935. She has been active in girls' sports at high school, and played basketball and tennis at school. Her favorite hobby is listed as basketball. Sammie is a member of the Future Homemakers of America, the Pep Squad and was a member of the staff of The Pied Piper. She does not plan to go to college.

MAXINE CRAWFORD, one of the youngest members of the graduating class, is the daughter of Mrs. J. J. Crawford, having been born at Hamlin on January 14, 1936. She has chosen nursing as a life's work, and plans to go to

a nurse's training school which is as yet undecided. Sewing is her principal hobby. Maxine has been popular in all school activities. She was a member of the FHA chapter, the National Honor Society and the Student Council.

JERE LYNN BURKHART discovered America at Colorado City on January 29, 1936, as the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. (Jimmy) Irwin. Jere Lynn, one of several students who have been married during their school years, plans to continue her schooling and add to her musical knowledge. Her school has as yet not been selected. Her favorite hobby is music at the piano. She has been a member of the Choraliers, the Pied Piper Band and the Future Homemakers of America.

CLARK HEWETT is another Hamlin High School senior who learned better and moved from Stamford, his birthplace. He was born July 25, 1935, the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Hewett. Clark has

been active in all sports at high school, having lettered for two years in football and track. Baseball and hunting are listed by him as his favorite hobbies. He plans to go to Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene and take a course in commercial art or geology, and follow one of these vocations for his life's work.

GLENN SMITH, the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Smith, is a native of this region, having been born September 25, 1934. He has been active in athletics at Hamlin High School, having lettered two years in football, three years in basketball and three years in track. He plans to go to Texas Tech College for more education, and will make engineering or farming his vocation. Glenn lists playing golf, fishing and swimming as his favorite hobbies.

JOE DON HYMER is better known to his friends as "Smokey."

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He began living in Hamlin on July 31, 1935, the son of Don and Geraldine Hymer. As a trumpet player he has been a member of the Pied Piper Band during his high school years, and also was a member of the Choraliers and the boys' male quartet. He lettered two years in football and track, being a member of the regional championship mile relay team. He lists swimming and all sports and playing the trumpet as his favorite hobbies. Joe Don plans to take an engineering course at Texas Tech College in preparation for a civil engineering career.

ANTHONY LAKEY has distinguished himself the past two years as a member of the boxing teams, and he also lettered on the football squad one year. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Lakey, having been born at Hamlin on May 26, 1935. Anthony plans to pursue an engineering career following his taking an engineering course at McMurry College in Abilene or at Arlington State College.

LARRY LEE IKELER plans to make photography his vocation in life. He was born at Lawrenceville, Illinois, on June 8, 1933, as the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ikelier. He has been a member of the Pied Piper Band.

ELLA MAE TURNER says her favorite hobby is dancing. She is the daughter of T. P. Turner, having been born in the Nienda community, south of Hamlin, on April 18, 1935. She has been a member of the Pep Squad and was on the staff of The Pied Piper, high school newspaper. She was on the basketball and volleyball teams.

EDNA JUNE BERRY declares she likes to "dabble in paints" as her hobby. She was born at Albany on August 22, 1935, as the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Berry. June was a member of the Pep Squad, and played on the girls' basketball team. She plans to take a religious education course at Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene.

LOUELLA BRIGHAM is interested in swimming and other sports and lists these as her favorite hobbies. She was born in the Tuxedo community, northeast of Hamlin, on February 9, 1935, as the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E.

Baccalaureate Services At DePriest to Feature Sweetwater Minister

Baccalaureate services for the two graduating classes at DePriest Colored School will be conducted at the new Oak Grove Baptist Church Sunday evening, May 17, according to E. S. Morgan, principal.

Sermon of the evening will be delivered by Rev. F. K. Williams, pastor of Mount Rose Baptist Church in Sweetwater. The services will begin at 3:00 o'clock.

Special musical numbers will be given preceding the sermon, in which both the congregation and members of the DePriest Choral Club will be presented. The chorus is under the direction of Mrs. Gwendolyn Morgan.

Brigman, a member of the FHA chapter, the Pep Squad and 4-H Club, and was a member of the staff of The Pied Piper. She played basketball and tennis during her high school years. Louella plans to take a home economics course of study at Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene.

VELMA FAYE ELLISON is another senior who hails from Arkansas. She was born August 1, 1935, at Waldo, Arkansas, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Ellison. Collecting souvenirs is listed as her favorite hobby. Velma says she may go to Draughton's Business College for a business course later.

ANN WATTS, native of Stamford, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Watts, to whom she was introduced on May 1, 1935. She lists collection of picture postcards as her favorite hobby. During her high school days Ann has been a member of the Pied Piper Band. She plans to take business courses at Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene following her graduation.

NAOMI CUNDIEFF, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. John P. Cundieff of Sylvester, was born December 9, 1934, at Hamlin. She went away with her family for several years, only to return to Hamlin High School two years ago for her finishing in high school. She lists scrapbooks and souvenirs as her favorite hobbies. She has been a member of the Pied Piper Band. After graduation she plans to go to Hardin-Simmons University at

Graduation Rites At McCaulley Held Thursday Evening

Graduation exercises for seniors of McCaulley High School were conducted yesterday (Thursday) evening in the Mason gymnasium-auditorium, when eight diplomas were presented to the graduates by Superintendent T. E. Green.

Speaker for the exercises was Rev. Marshall Rhew, superintendent of the Stamford District for the Methodist Church.

Claudie Dell Carpenter was valedictorian of the graduating group, and Mrs. Lucille Carter was salutatorian.

Seniors receiving diplomas as climax of the school year in the graduation exercises were Gerald Wayne Tabb, Derwin Maberry, Wilma Miles, Calvin Faught, Bonnie Sipe, Howard Kean, Henry Clay McElyea Jr., Claudie Dell Carpenter and Mrs. Lucille Carter.

Bonnie Sipe Youngest Senior at McCaulley

Bonnie Sipe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Sipe of the Sylvester community, is the youngest member of the McCaulley High School graduating class this year.

Bonnie was born at Rotan on May 20, 1935, making her almost 18 years of age when she received her diploma Thursday night.

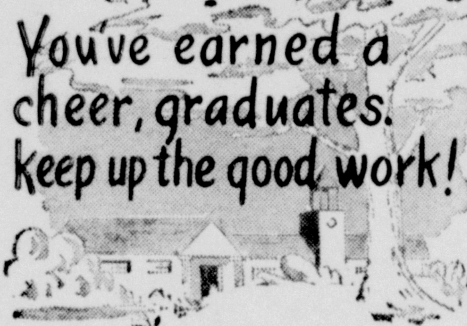
Abilene in preparation for a career as a medical technician.

IMOGENE YORK is a native of Jayton, where she was born March 9, 1935, to Mr. and Mrs. C. D. McCurry. She says swimming is her favorite hobby. She does not plan to go to college.

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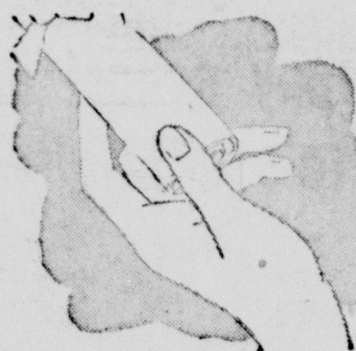


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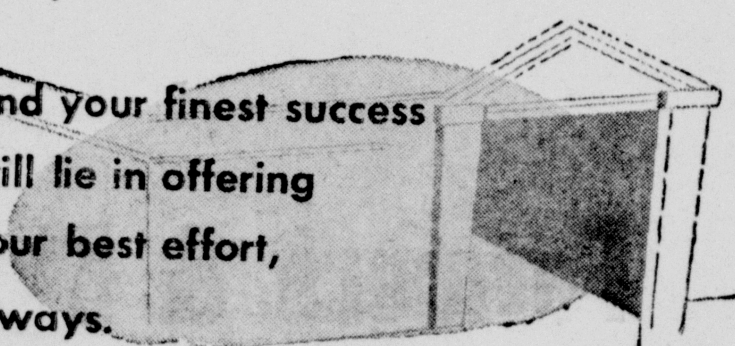
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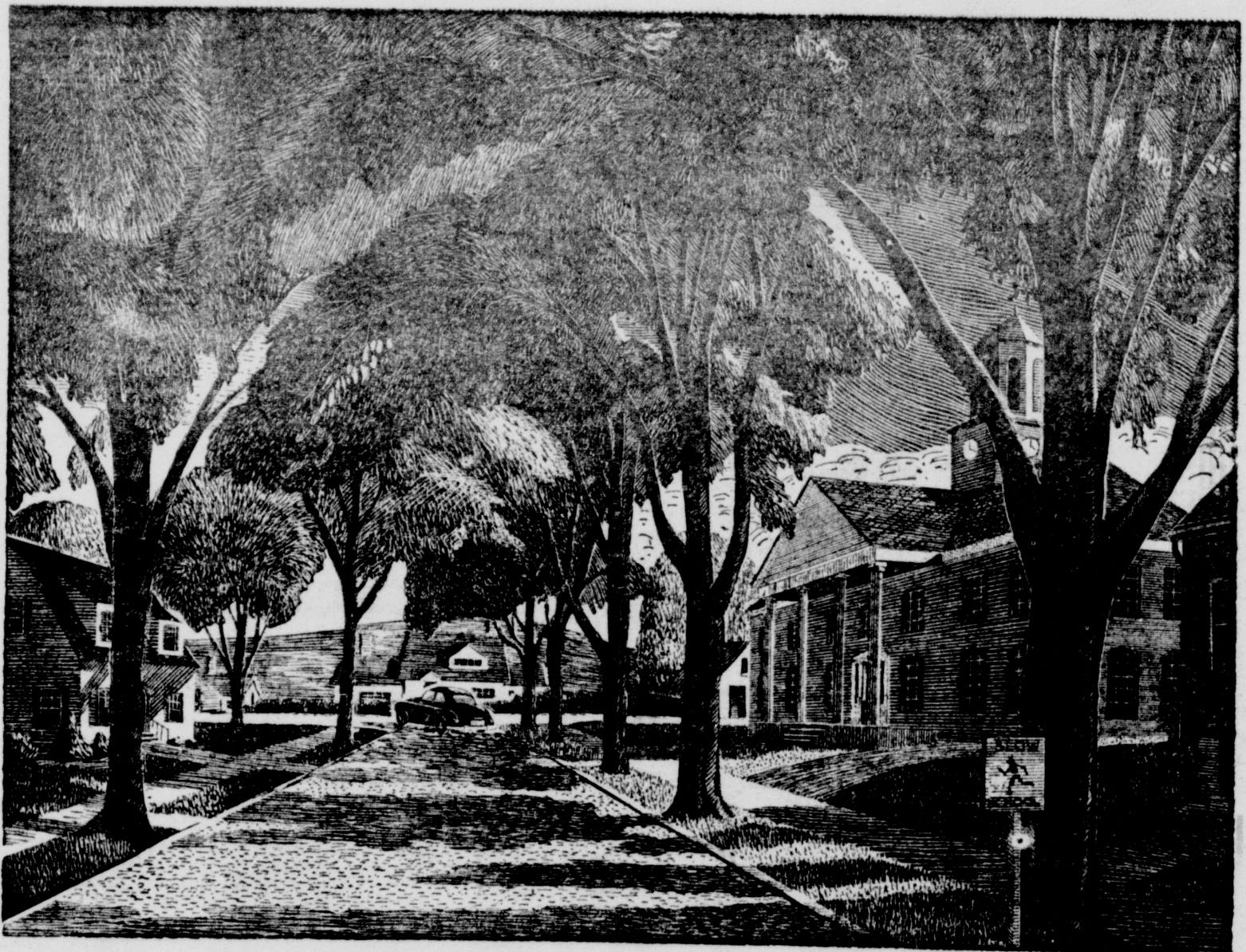
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